

# TURKEY WILL JOIN LEAGUE To Establish Peace In Ireland

## Ismet Says Turkey Will Become Member of League of Nations as Soon as Peace is Signed

### TURKS YIELD AT LAUSANNE

Action Means Acceptance of League's Supervision Over Christians in Turkey

Turks Agree to Granting of General Amnesty to Political Prisoners

Decline, However, to Establish a National Home For Armenians

LAUSANNE, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Turkey will join the League of Nations as soon as peace is signed at Lausanne, Ismet Pasha announced at the Near East conference today. As the league exercises general supervision over minority populations, Ismet's announcement was interpreted as meaning that Turkey will accept the league's supervision over the Christian peoples of Turkey.

Ismet said Turkey was ready to accept the same treatment to minorities as provided in the treaties exchanged between the various European countries. This, Ismet declared, was not because of the menacing words of Lord Curzon, the British foreign secretary as voiced yesterday but because the Turkish national pact required it. The Turkish delegate said Turkey accepted the granting of general amnesty to political prisoners, to establish a national home for the Armenians and exempt members of the minorities from military service.

### IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINGS

Atty. Richberg, Counsel for R. R. Workers in Strike Injunction, Called

To Testify at Hearing on Charges Against Atty. Gen. Daugherty

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Witnesses summoned to appear today before the house judiciary committee in its hearings on the impeachment charges against Attorney General Daugherty included Donald Richberg, Chicago attorney who was counsel for the railroad workers in the strike injunction proceedings instituted by the attorney general at Chicago, last summer. His appearance was requested by counsel for Representative Keller, republican, Minnesota, who brought the impeachment charges, for testimony on a third specification of the 14 sub-mitted in the charges alleging a perversion of the legal processes of the government by Mr. Daugherty in obtaining the strike injunction.

### APPROACH OF CHRISTMAS BRINGS PEACE TALK IN IRELAND

#### All Sinn Fein Clubs in Dublin City and County Summoned to Conference to Discuss Peace—Rank and File of Republican Party Willing to Treat For Peace—Free State Committee Working for Cessation of Hostilities

DUBLIN, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Talk of peace between the factions in Ireland, is increasingly heard as Christmas time approaches. Action taken by the new senate of the Free State Tuesday in appointing a committee to work for the immediate cessation of hostilities had developed some indications that a considerable section of the republican party is willing to treat for peace and that the rank and file is moving in that direction.

The summoning of all the Sinn Fein clubs in Dublin city and county to debate the question, was pointed to as significant. Although the clubs are composed of both treaty supporters and republicans it was the republicans who sent out the press notifications for Sunday's meeting.

The unwillingness of the irregulars to surrender their arms may prove an obstacle to peace. It is pointed out that peace between the British and the Irish was delayed by the same difficulty and was only obtained when the British waived their demand for the surrender of arms.

Resolutions of public bodies in favor of peace are issued as indicating that public feeling is tending to favor conciliation between the two parties. In this state of affairs a peace committee hopes to intervene by establishing relations with men in touch with the heads of irregulars. There is no indication, however, that the Free State government will consent to permit the existence of any armed force in Ireland except the national troops.

Meeting Sunday  
LONDON, Dec. 14.—An Exchange Telegraph despatch from Dublin says that delegates of the Sinn Fein branches in Dublin city and county will confer here Sunday with the object of establishing peace.

the carshop workers who went on strike to the detriment of a great deal of rail equipment, as all investigators know, declare that the railroad is now forced to purchase new equipment at this time, not because of any mighty increase in business, but because of the extreme shortage of old equipment and the railroad's inability to get prompt repairs done upon thousands of freight and passenger cars and locomotives in order to meet the demands of the new business era now growing larger in size and volume.

It was announced today that the Boston & Maine's new equipment purchase includes 22 switching engines, two Mallet switching engines, 65 steel cars, and 100 passenger cars.

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### ATTEMPT TO KILL BRITISH OFFICIAL

Poisoned Chocolates Sent Through Mail to Home Secretary Bridgeman

Police Find That Candy Contained Arsenic—Unbalanced Woman Blamed

LONDON, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—An attempt has been made to assassinate Home Secretary W. C. Bridgeman by means of poisoned chocolates sent through the mail. The candy arrived at the home office yesterday and the police found it contained arsenic.

It was understood the police attribute the act to the same person who recently poisoned Sir William Harwood, head of Scotland Yard, in the same manner.

Investigations, it was said today, have led the police to the conclusion that the work was probably that of an unbalanced woman who has some real or fancied grievance against Scotland Yard and the Home Office.

The candy box bore the postmark of Balham, a London suburb, where it is now learned the Horwood package also was posted.

Scotland Yard has found the shop in which the Bridgeman chocolates were purchased.

The attempt on Mr. Bridgeman's life, coming just before Christmas, when all officials may expect to receive parcels, has caused considerable alarm among them.

### RECEIVE RED HAT AND ROCHET

Public Investiture by Pope Pius of Six of Eight New Cardinals in St. Peter's

Throng Attends First Public Consistory of Pius' Pontificate

ROME, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Public investiture by Pope Pius of six of the eight new cardinals took place in St. Peter's today when at the first consistory of Pius' pontificate the newly created princes of the church received from the pontiff the red hat and the rochet, insignia of their elevation.

Cardinal Locatelli and Cardinal Casanova were absent. They will be invested by the hands of their respective states, Portugal and Spain. Today's consistory was the first held for many years in the hall of the beautiful, which has been closed during the restoration of the ceiling. This work, however, was completed several months ago.

From almost the break of day, carriages, motors and cabs streamed along the road leading from the center of the city to the ancient Borgo where stand the apostolic palaces.

In the throng that hastened to St. Peter's were men in formal attire, women in black dresses and lace mantillas, papal diplomats, members of the Roman aristocracy and the more plainly dressed monks and nuns. Pius, wearing a red cape and mitre over his white vestments, was accompanied by his entire court.

## Lowell to Greet Gen. John J. Pershing at Chamber of Commerce Dinner at Auditorium Tonight

### "APPRECIATION DINNER" ORDER OF EXERCISES

6 P. M.—Music by Clan MacPherson Bagpipe Band.

6.15—Appreciation Dinner—

1—Invocation by Rev. Percy E. Thomas.

2—Music by College City Four.

3—Singing under direction of Albert Edmund Brown.

4—Presentation of resolutions of appreciation of the work of the Lowell Board of Trade Auditorium committee and the Auditorium Building Commission by Pres. Edward F. Fisher.

(After dinner, members on the stage come to the parquet and after post prandial exercises, seats will be provided on floor.)

7.05—Address, "Present Day Problems in Government and Business."

Hon. Carroll L. Beedy, M. C., of Maine

FOR CHAMBER MEMBERS, VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS AND THE PUBLIC

Chamber members please remain at the tables.

8.15—Address by General John J. Pershing.

8.45—Appreciation of General Pershing by Hon. Carroll L. Beedy.

9.15—Pershing reception to service men in Legion quarters.

### INDUSTRIAL CODE AIMED AT SETTLEMENT OF LABOR DISPUTES

#### Conditions Demand "Some Central Equalizing Board That Will Function in Interest of Labor, Capital and Public," Says Gov. Hartness

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, West Virginia, December 14.—Continued orderly development of the nation, industrially and governmentally, demands the formation of an industrial code aimed at the peaceful settlement of disputes between capital and labor, Governor James Harney of Vermont said in an address prepared for delivery at the conference of governors here today. Governor Harney, a former president of the American Society of Engineers, is a large employer of labor, operating a machine tool plant at Springfield, Vt. He represented the United States government in England and France during the war.

### LIQUOR DUMPED INTO THE SEA

#### Part of \$1,700,000 Cargo Destroyed by Members of Crew Off Freeport, L. I.

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A part of a liquor cargo valued at \$1,700,000 at bootleg prices, has been dumped into the ocean off Freeport, L. I., according to a report received by Frank J. Hale and James R. Kerrigan, chief intelligence officers for the prohibition enforcement department. The whiskey, brought here from the Bahamas, was thrown overboard Tuesday when members of the rum-runner's crew were angered at failure of the owners in New York to send food supplies.

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After the papal benediction, the colorful procession re-formed, the pope returning to his apartments as the "Te Deum" sounded from the Sistine chapel.

### PUBLIC TO HEAR A. E. F. LEADER

Military Organizations and Civilians Plan to Give Him Royal Welcome

Pretentious Plans for One of Biggest Affairs in History of City

Lowell will be signally honored tonight by the presence of the ranking officer of the United States army, Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of all American forces in Europe during the World war and recognized as one of the foremost military men of the age, when he comes to the city as the guest of the chamber of commerce at its "Appreciation Dinner" to be held at the Memorial Auditorium.

### ALL TICKETS HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED

At 2 o'clock this afternoon applications received took care of all available seats for Gen. Pershing's address which means the hall will be filled to capacity and admittance to the general public, aside from those who already hold tickets will be impossible.

Not only will the general be a dinner guest, but also will deliver an address after a most interesting program of post prandial exercises, that will include, especially prepared and arranged musical numbers, an address by Congressman Carroll L. Beedy of Maine, and the presentation of a set of resolutions to the old Board of Trade Auditorium committee and the Memorial Auditorium building commission by the board of directors.

### JOSEPH LEVALLÉE FOUND NOT GUILTY

Joseph Levallée of 5 Westford street, who was charged with manslaughter and operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, following an auto accident several weeks ago, on the Lawrence road, was tried before Judge Pierce in Methuen this morning. As the result of the accident Mary Dupuis died. Levallée was found not guilty on both charges and discharged. He was represented by Atty. Cornelius J. O'Neill.

### NEW YORK AND BOSTON CLEARINGS

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Exchanges \$59,000,000; balances \$7,000,000.

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Exchanges \$63,600,000; balances \$22,000,000.

### TRAYNOR, AUCTIONEER

Friday, Dec. 15 at 10.30 a. m.

All personal property and livestock on the Haggett's Pond Farm, West Andover, better known as the late H. Frank Smith. Livestock consists of 20 Holstein, New Milks Cows, 15 Ayrshire Cows, Springers, 3 Good Farm Horses weighing from 1200 to 1600 lbs., 1 Holstein Bull, 15 Pigs, about 80 hens, about 50 Tons of Hay, more or less, 1 ton Dodge Truck, gasoline engine and wood saw, and all farm implements used on a farm of this kind. Other articles too numerous to mention. All stock must be sold. For further information see.

TRAYNOR & CREGG  
Bay State Bldg., Tel. 1553 Lawrence.  
Tel. 363-W, Andover  
(Office will be served at noon. See will leave Shawboro Village at 9.30 a. m. and 10 a. m.)  
JOHN TRAYNOR, Auctioneer

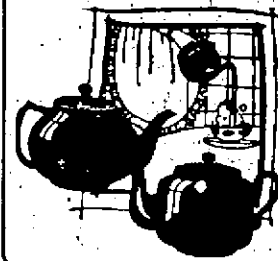
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Pay a visit to this newly added shop where you will find books for all by the most foremost authors and a complete line of Xmas stationery to meet the requirements of everybody's pocketbook.



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Visit this shop filled with innumerable gifts for everyone and all occasions.

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# Ready-to-Wear for Holiday Giving

Practical Xmas gifts are becoming more popular. We have gone into the market and made special purchases of the finest of ready-to-wear giving exclusive high grade wearables for fashionable women at special prices. **Every Woman Loves Fine Clothes.** Many of the most exclusive styles will go first. Now is the time to get the best selection.



**FUR COATS**  
DYED MUSKRAT, RACCOON, HUDSON SEAL, NEAR SEAL  
**\$149.50, \$189.50, \$198.50, \$298 and \$349.50**

August prices prevail on fur coats. We cannot get any more in the quantities at these prices. We were fortunate in purchasing selected skins early. About 18 coats left at these prices.

SECOND FLOOR

**Ormandale Coats \$49.50**

We have just made a purchase of women's ormandale coats, all crepe lined, with throw collars. Big full coats, made extra long, sizes 40 to 48, in brown, navy and black. Ormandale, a high lustre pile fabric bolivia. Coats made to sell for \$65.

SECOND FLOOR



**Marvelous Fur Trimmed WRAPS and COATS**  
**\$79.50, \$98.50, \$125.00, \$139.50**

MARVELLA, GERONA, LUSTROSA AND VELVETETTE, trimmed with beaver, squirrel and fish. We bought fifty beautiful individual garments in New York last week. A wonderful value are these high class beautiful materials, trimmed with wonderful furs. Exclusive models. Remarkable values.

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**SUITS Fur Trimmed**

Your Choice of Any of Our Fur Trimmed Suits at 1-3 Off Regular Prices

\$150.00 Suits. Now	\$100.00
\$100.00 Suits. Now	\$62.50
\$75.00 Suits. Now	\$50.00
\$60.00 Suits. Now	\$40.00
\$45.00 Suits. Now	\$30.00

These are all fine suits, trimmed with Beaver, Gray Squirrel and Platinum Wolf

SECOND FLOOR



**POIRET TWILL DRESSES, \$19.50**

Fifty smart, stylish poiret twill dresses bought in New York last week. All made of fine poiret twill, hand tailored, misses' and women's sizes, 16 to 44. Dresses made to sell for \$25.00, \$29.50 and \$35.00.

Second Floor.

**NEW TAFFETA DRESSES, \$25.00**

New styles, advanced 1923 models, bought in New York. Twenty-five of them. New taffeta styles, in better quality, trimmed with new Berthas, very pretty in navy, Havana blue and cocoa brown.

Second Floor.

## Women's and Children's HOSIERY SHOP Street Floor

Special Hosiery Opportunities Suggest That You Give It As Gifts. The attractive designs of the past seasons have made hosiery such a popular Christmas gift that we are glad to announce very special values for those who plan to give this year. Right quality Hosiery is here at Right Prices.

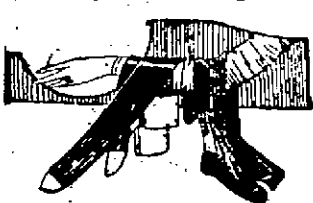
**WOMEN'S SILK HOSE**  
Full fashioned in black, pair,  
**\$1.50 to \$4.50**

**WOMEN'S SILK HOSE**  
Full fashioned in colors, pair,  
**\$1.50 to \$3.50**

**WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE**  
In silk and wool, full fashioned, plain and some embroidered, pair  
**\$2.25 to \$3.50**

**WOMEN'S OUTSIZE SILK HOSE**  
Full fashioned, pair  
**\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00**

**WOMEN'S SILK HOSE**  
Silk embroidered front, also side clux and lace inserts, are full fashioned, pair,  
**\$2.50 to \$6.00**



**INFANTS' HOSE**

Silk and wool, pair ..... 75¢

**WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE**  
Full fashioned, pair,  
**50¢, 75¢ and \$1.00**

**WOMEN'S HOSE**  
Mercerized lisle, full fashioned, pair  
**75¢, \$1.00 and \$1.25**

**WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE**  
Fine wool and silk and wool, pair  
**\$1.25 to \$2.50**

**CHILDREN'S SPORT HOSE**  
Ribbed, pr. **85¢, \$1 and \$1.15**

**CHILDREN'S HOSE**  
Mercerized ribbed lisle in black, white, cordovan and Russian pair  
**50¢ and 60¢**

**INFANTS' CASHMERE HOSE**  
Ribbed, with silk heels and toes, pair  
**50¢**

**PILLOWS DRAPERY SHOP**

**A Gay Gift For the Home**

Pillows of every shape, covered with most wanted materials in the latest colorings are here for your selection.



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**Self-Service Cash and Carry**

**GROCETERIA CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS**

**NUTS. 1922 GATHERING**

Castanas	18c
Mixed Nuts	25c
Maple Walnuts	30c
Paper Shell Almonds	38c
California Budded Walnuts	42c

**EVAPORATED FRUITS**

Peaches	25c and 32c
Piney Malaga Cluster Raisins	39c
Crown Loose Muscatel Raisins	30c
Seeded Raisins, 15 oz.	16c
Seedless Raisins, 15 oz.	17c
Holly Brand Currants, 15 oz.	25c

French Glace Cherries, 1/2 lb. box	45c
Persian Stuffed Dates, 4 lb. box	75c
Smyrna Figs, 1 lb. box	55c
Dromedary Dates	20c
Paradise Golden Dates	20c



**PLUM PUDDINGS**

Friend's	14c
National	12c and 32c
Richardson & Robbins 1 lb.	30c
Heinz Plum, 1 lb.	39c
Heinz Fig, 1 lb.	39c
Heinz Plum, 2 lbs.	70c

**MINCE MEAT**

None-Such	15c
Heinz, 1 lb. cans	49c
Heinz, 2 lb. cans	37c
Heinz, glass jar, 1 lb.	63c
Heinz, glass jar, 2 lb.	63c

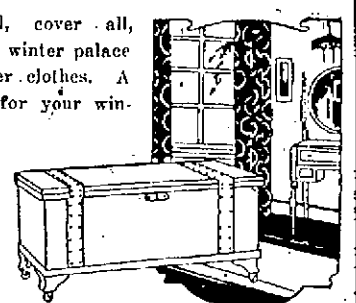
**FLOUR**

Snow Drop Pastry	95c
Pillsbury's	\$1.10
Gold Medal	\$1.09
Occident	\$1.25
Bridal Veil	\$1.35
E. A. Co.	\$1.35

**Cedar Chests DRAPERY SHOP**

**RED CEDAR CHESTS**

They hold all, cover all, guard all. It's a winter palace for your summer clothes. A summer castle for your winter furs.



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**CORSET SHOP SECOND FLOOR**

**BANDEAUX AND BRASSIERES**

Make attractive and useful gifts. Look over our large assortment. Put up in Xmas boxes

The Comfort Bandeau with hose supporters in front only, plain or fancy materials, hooked in back and side. Priced  
**59c, 79c and \$1.50**

H. & W. 3141, made of fancy brocade. Gives the flattening effect and insures the wearer of the much desired straight front lines. Priced.....\$1.50  
A very popular number

Flattening Effect Bandeaux, pink striped material, hook side, two models, one for medium figure and one for taller figure. Priced .....79c and \$1.00



Flattening Effect Bandeaux in pink satin with elastic at waist-line. Priced .....\$1.50

Brassieres of all-over embroidery with wide lace top and bottom trimmed, hooked front. Priced  
**\$1.50 to \$3.00**

*The HOOVER*  
It BEATS... all Saws and Chains



Lighten the burden of house-keeping and give "her" time for recreation and rest. Give "her" a Hoover. It will be a useful and greatly appreciated gift.  
Demonstration Table 1st Floor

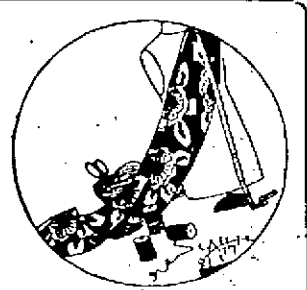
**RIBBON SHOP STREET FLOOR**

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Many useful things can be made of ribbons. Visit this shop and let the saleswomen show how many pretty things may be made from ribbons.

Hairbow Ribbons in pink, blue, Alice blue, red, navy and black. Extra heavy quality. Specially priced ..... 29c Yd.

Hairbow Ribbons in novelty stripes and plain, in all good shades. Specially Priced 39c Yd



Lingerie Clasps, made with rose-buds and fancy rosettes. Priced  
**25c to 39c Pr.**

Ribbons for Neckties. We have a wonderful assortment to choose from. Priced  
**\$1.00 to \$1.98 Yd.**  
All ties pinned free

Ready Ruffle Ribbon for garters, arm bands and coat hangers. Comes tubular, all ready to run in your elastic. Priced  
**39c and 59c Yd.**

Wash Ribbons in pink, blue and white, 10 yards to roll. Priced  
**25c Roll**

## THOUSANDS AT FUNERAL OF JOHN WANAMAKER

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14—Thousands of persons representing virtually every walk in life did homage today at the funeral of John Wanamaker, whose body lay in state from 9 o'clock until noon in the St. James The Less church, where the famous merchant had worshipped since boyhood and where he was a familiar figure in the Sunday school and other religious work.

Many celebrated persons are here to officiate as honorary pallbearers and attend the funeral services this afternoon. The services at both the church and the Wanamaker mausoleum in the cemetery of St. James The Less will be private.

## DEATH OF REV. FATHER FINNEGAN'S MOTHER

The many friends of Mrs. Mary Sheehan Finnegan, widow of Daniel P. Finnegan, for several years foreman in the street department, will learn the sad news of her death, which occurred after a lingering illness at her home, 31 Sydney street.

Mrs. Finnegan was a native of Ashford, Conn., and came to Lowell after coming to this country. She had been a highly respected resident of the Grove section, where she had long been a devout attendant at the Sacred Heart church, and very active before her illness in the ladies' organization of her parish.

After suffering greatly during the past few months, she bore her affliction with great patience, resignation and Christian fortitude, and the end came peacefully.

Deceased is survived by two sons, Rev. Dennis P., assistant rector of St. Joseph's church, Ottawa, Canada; John A., Irish drama promoter of New York city; and three daughters, Mrs. J. J. Liddy and the Misses Anna and Kathleen Finnegan; a brother, Dennis Sheehan, and a sister, Mrs. Katherine Mahoney, both of New York city. Three grandchildren, Daniel, Austin and Rita Liddy. Deceased was widely known and esteemed and her demise will be mourned by a large circle of relatives and friends.

## DEATHS

**ADAMS**—Mrs. Sarah E. Adams, one of Chelmsford's oldest residents, died yesterday at the home of her daughter, Mrs. L. H. Knight, in Chelmsford. She was aged 91 years 3 months and 22 days. She leaves two sons, J. J. Adams, Chelmsford and Benjamin S. of Nantucket; two daughters, Mrs. L. H. Knight, Chelmsford and Mrs. Flora E. Chamberlain of Chelmsford.

**DOWNEY**—Mrs. Margaret Downey, a well known resident of Tewksbury, died yesterday at St. John's hospital, after a brief illness, aged 70 years. She leaves her husband, Daniel H. Downey, her home was on County road, Tewksbury. The body was removed to the rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70 S. Gorham street.

**FINNEGAN**—Patrick Finnegan, for the past 60 years a member of the immaculate Conception church and a lifelong resident of Belvidere, died yesterday at his home, 324 Elm street. Mr. Finnegan for the past 15 years had been a valued employee of the street department, previous to which he had worked for 100 years for the Lowell Gas Light Co. He is survived by his wife, Cecelia (Carey) Finnegan; three sons, Thomas J. of the New England Telephone Co., Lowell; and Michael, postoffice, and Frank B. of the Belvidere drug store; one brother, Michael ofushing, L. J., and three sisters, Miss Catherine Finnegan and Mrs. Margaret Kelley of Freehold, N. J., and Mrs. Bridget Melvin of New York city. He was a member of the Holy Name society of the immaculate Conception church.

**GANNON**—Miss Fannie F. Gannon, residing at 120 Cross street, died last night at St. John's hospital as a result of injuries from a fall at her home earlier in the evening. Deceased has been a resident of Lowell for the past 45 years and had been a member of St. Patrick's church during the entire period. She leaves one brother, Patrick Gannon of Lynn. The body was taken to the chapel of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

## FUNERAL NOTICES

**FOREST**—The funeral of Mrs. Josephine (Lemercier) Forest will take place Friday morning at 7 o'clock from her home, 101 S. Gorham street. A solemn high mass of requiem at 8 o'clock at Notre Dame de Lourdes church. Burial in St. Mary's cemetery in Newbury.

**DOWNEY**—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Downey will take place Friday morning from the funeral rooms of Undertaker William A. Mack, 70 S. Gorham street, at 9 o'clock. At the Tewksbury mortuary a solemn high funeral mass will be celebrated at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery in the charge of Undertaker William A. Mack.

**FAHRELL**—Died Dec. 12, at her home, 291 Appleton street. Mrs. Josephine (Gammeter) Fahrell, wife of William P. Fahrell. The funeral will take place Friday morning at eight o'clock from the house, and a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

**FINNEGAN**—Died Dec. 13 at his home, 324 Concord street, Patrick Finnegan, husband of Cecelia (Carey) Finnegan. The funeral will take place Saturday morning at 9 o'clock from the house, and a solemn high funeral mass will be sung at 10 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery under the direction of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

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**FINNEGAN**—Died in this city, Dec. 14, at her late home, 31 Sydney street, Mrs. Mary Finnegan. The funeral will take place Saturday morning from her late home at 9 o'clock. At the Sacred Heart church at 10 o'clock a solemn high mass of requiem will be celebrated. Burial will be in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Fay.

## FUNERALS

**FLINT**—The funeral of Miss Ida J. Flint took place from her home, 200 Liberty street, yesterday afternoon. The services were conducted by Rev. William E. Tuttle, D.D., pastor of the Elliot Union Congregational church. There was a procession of mourners. The school department was represented by Supt. Hugh J. Molloy and Business Agent Henry J. Williams. The school committee was represented by Dr. Emma E. Young Slaughter and the Lowell Teachers organization was represented by Miss Jennie M. Bennett, Miss Isabelle J. Whitney, Miss Carrie J. Bailey, Miss Ellen A. Stollings, Miss Esther A. Owens, Miss Margaret Riley, Miss Louise H. McCook and Mrs. Grace T. Thompson. Grammar school masters were represented by William S. Greene. At 11 o'clock in the morning the school children were permitted to pass by the casket and a great many availed themselves of the opportunity. A teachers' convention was held at the Normal school yesterday and closed at 4 p. m. after which time many teachers went to the home of Miss Flint and passed the casket. Cremation took place this morning at Mt. Auburn cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Walter M. Burtt under the direction of Undertaker George W. Healey.

**LUNDBERG**—The funeral services of Mrs. Ellen J. Lundberg were held yesterday afternoon at the Swedish Lutheran church, and were largely attended. Rev. P. E. Nordgren, pastor of the church, officiated. The appropriate singing by Mrs. P. E. Nordgren, Mrs. Caroline Stromquist and Miss Mildred Anderson. The person was also the organist. There were many beautiful floral tributes. The bearers were Carl Sigvardson, Ernest Hanson, Arvid Anderson and Yorkve Rosenblad. Burial took place in the family lot in Westlawn cemetery, where the committal service was read by Rev. Mr. Nordgren. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

**JALBERT**—The funeral of Joseph

Jalbert, the well known contractor, took place this morning from his home, 100 Fourth avenue, Solemn high mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock by Rev. Augustin Gratien, O.M.I., assisted by Rev. Charles Desmet, O.M.I., as sub-deacon. The choir under the direction of Rudolphe B. Peghin rendered Pietro Ton's mass. The bearers were Joseph Jalbert, Adolphe Jalbert, Robert Jalbert, William Jalbert, Joseph Jalbert, and Henry Keyes. Sent by E. Trudel, F. Giroux, F. Viger and A. N. Boulet. There were numerous floral and spiritual offerings. Burial was in the family lot in St. Jean's cemetery, where the committal prayers were read by Rev. Athanasius Marion, O.M.I. Funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amodee Archambault & Sons.

**BRUNELLE**—The funeral of Mrs. Stephanie Brunelle took place this morning from her home, 21 Ward street. High funeral mass was sung in St. Joseph's church at 9 o'clock by Very Rev. Eugene Turcotte, O.M.I. The choir, under the direction of Telesphore Malo, sang the Gregorian chant. Mass Lena Camire was the organist. The bearers were Leo Lefort, Felix Adam Gilbert, James Pelland, Thomas Cassin, Hervé Marcotte and Joseph Brunelle. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery, where Rev. Athanasius Marion, O.M.I., read the committal prayers. Arrangements were in charge of Funeral Director Joseph Albert.

**STELMAK**—The funeral of Helena Stelmak took place yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of her daughter, Mrs. J. J. Liddy, in North Tewksbury. Burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers J. J. Sadowski.

**RATK**—The funeral of Sofia Ratk took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the home of her son, J. J. Ratk, in North street. A funeral mass was held at

the Polish Holy Trinity church at 9 o'clock. Fr. Stanley Ogonowski officiated. The bearers were Walter Kozarski, John Adamowski, Anthony Nowak and Stanley Polowinski. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Fr. Ogonowski read committal prayers. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker J. J. Sadowski.

## MASS NOTICE

Solemn high mass of requiem Saturday morning at 7:30 at St. Michael's church for the repose of the soul of William J. Kenney.

## Public to Hear

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on behalf of the members of the chamber of commerce, expressing appreciation and gratitude for the work accomplished.

Upon the parchment to be presented are the names of John A. Hunnewell, Arthur T. Sanford, Robert F. Marston, Hon. John Jacob Rogers, Rev. Daniel J. Keleher, Ph.D., Joseph A. Logare, Stanley A. Qua, Austin K. Chodwick, Frederick C. Church, Arthur C. Pollard, Otto Hockmeyer, James C. Riley, John H. Harrington, John H. Murphy and John J. O'Rourke of the old Board of Trade Auditorium committee and the names of John H. Harrington, Clarence H. Nelson, Walter L. Parker, Arthur L. Eno and Mayors Perry D. Thompson and George H. Brown, members of the commission who had charge of the selection of a site, the planning and the erection of the Auditorium.

Pretentious Program of Exercises  
Without doubt the dinner and at-

tending festivities make up one of the most pretentious programs ever arranged by the Lowell chamber and an event whose success will mark a red letter day upon the organization's calendar of achievements.

Naturally, Lowell Post of the American Legion has great interest and anticipation in the visit of General Pershing and will take the opportunity thus afforded to formally dedicate its new headquarters in the veterans' wing of the Auditorium. Upon the general's own request all military formalities will be dispensed with and the former soldier and sailors will meet the army commander upon a civilian footing.

While in Lowell General Pershing will be the house guest of General Butler Ames, but will attend no function aside from the dinner. Congressmen Keely will be entertained at the York club, where chamber of commerce members may have an opportunity to meet him prior to the dinner.

The distribution of tickets for the occasion, as always in affairs of this magnitude, has presented a vexing problem, but has been admirably handled by chamber of commerce officials under the direction of Percy J. Wilson, dinner committee chairman.

Attendance at the dinner necessarily is limited to members of the chamber, all of whom must secure admittance tickets in advance. Entrance will be at the East Merrimack street door, which will open at 5:30 o'clock. Seats may be checked at cloak rooms on the main floor. It is imperative that the dinner start on scheduled time, which is 6:15 o'clock.

General Pershing is scheduled to speak at 5:15 o'clock and the public is to be admitted by ticket to the capacity of the hall. Doors to the main Auditorium will be open at 8 p. m. All tickets remaining undistributed at noon today were given out to the public in order of application.

Accommodations for Grand Army members, American Legion, Spanish War Veterans and Gold Star Mothers, have been made and tickets designating seats to be occupied already have been assigned to them. Gold Star Mothers have been mailed tickets directly from the chamber of commerce rooms, while tickets for the members of three veterans' organizations have been placed in the hands of their respective commanders for distribution.

American Legion members will assemble in their quarters in the veterans' wing at 7:30 o'clock where the chamber will serve a collation. Members, marching in a body, will enter the Auditorium when the doors are thrown open at 8 o'clock.

## Sure Relief FOR INDIGESTION

BELLANS  
INDIGESTION  
25 CENTS  
6 BELLANS  
Hot water  
Sure Relief  
BELLANS  
25¢ and 75¢ Packages Everywhere

## John J. Donovan Says

### Camouflage Tax Rates

A tax rate of \$30.60 would not be so bad, if it was an honest one. It does not require a wizard of finance to figure that supplemental appropriations of more than \$200,000 (with more to come) and not included in this year's tax levy, make the present tax rate a dishonest one. IF YOU ARE BEING FOOLED ON TAX RATES, YOU ARE BEING FOOLED ON OTHER THINGS ALSO.

### Some of the Things I Will Not Do If Elected Mayor

I will not close the doors of the Mayor's office on city employees in the month of January, and make pretty speeches to them in the month of December.

I will not ride around in a Packard next year, even though my opponent has already bought a Packard. The price of that Packard would almost keep the street department going full blast for a week. However, I will tell you what I will do with that Packard. I will change the body of the car and make it over into an ambulance, to take the place of one of the broken down cars that now tries to render service. IT WILL DO MORE GOOD THAT WAY THAN CARRYING DONOVAN AROUND IN REGAL SPLENDOR THROUGH THE STREETS.

I will not remove heads of departments without JUSTIFICATION, simply to create excitement.

I will not be a WINING candidate before election and an AUTOCRAT in office after election.

I will not cry "for a full term" if my official conduct in office compels the supreme court to say that I conducted the affairs of that office in "BAD FAITH."

JOHN J. DONOVAN,  
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## EVERY BOY NEEDS A GOOD POCKET KNIFE



BOYS ALWAYS ACCEPT AND APPRECIATE A GUARANTEED POCKET KNIFE AS A GIFT. SELECT FROM THIS LIST:

PEN KNIVES ..... 65¢ to \$1.50  
PEARL KNIVES ..... \$1.00 to \$6.00  
JACKKNIVES ..... 50¢ to \$2.00  
BOY SCOUT KNIVES ..... \$1.75

EVERY KNIFE PACKED IN A WHITE ENAMELED BOX  
90 YEARS A CUTLERY STORE  
The place where grandfather bought his first knife.

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216 CENTRAL STREET

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"Vanity Fair" Silk Underwear.  
Exceptional values in "Vanity Fair" Full Fashioned Black Silk Hose.  
Philippine Underwear—Radium and Crepe de Chine Silk Underwear and Bloomers.  
Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs.  
Neckwear, Lingerie Clasps—Other Novelties.  
Specially Priced Envelope Chemise and Night gowns, daintily trimmed, val. lace and medallions ..... **\$2.00**  
Bandeaux and Brassieres, suitable for all figures ..... **50¢ to \$5**

Children's  
**Fur Sets**  
\$1.98 to \$9.98

**GAGNON COMPANY**  
HOME OF THE GREATEST VALUES  
Christmas Club Checks Cashed In All Departments

Women's and Misses'  
**Velvet Dresses**  
\$15 \$19.50

## The Best Gift of All is a Fur Coat

CHOOSE FROM THIS FINE GROUP NOW  
AT JANUARY PRICES

When you consider the warm comfort and long service fur coats give, they really cost very little. This unusual before Christmas mark-down makes them less expensive than ever.

These coats are made of selected skins, 40 and 42 inches long. Huge shawl collars, new style sleeves with windshields, all round belts, beautiful silk linings.

MARMOT COATS, raccoon trimmed	\$75
SEALINE COATS, plain	\$85
MUSKRAT COATS, plain	\$95
NEARSEAL COATS, self trimmed	\$98.50
SEALINE CAPE, circular style	\$98.50
CIVET CAT COATS, black and white fur	\$100
NEARSEAL COATS, squirrel trimmed	\$150
NEARSEAL COATS, skunk trimmed	\$150
RACCOON COATS, nicely striped	\$185
HUDSON SEAL COATS, extra fine skins	\$250

Second Floor

## Prices on Women's Better Coats Drop to \$68

Coats That Sold a Few Weeks Ago Up to \$100

ORLANDO, ARABELLA, MARVELLA, VELDYNE, GERONA—The rich looking, soft pile materials used in all expensive coats this winter. Navy blue, black, sorrento and rich brown, in bloused, mandarin and straight-line styles. Stitched, embroidered or with beautiful fur trimmings of beaver, squirrel, badger, caracal, platinum wolf. Sizes 14 to 42.

## Coats of Cordulure, Fedora, Bolivia, Pandora \$44

Values to \$65.00

Enriched with large fur collars; and some have cuffs, of taupe wolf, Australian opossum, manchurian wolf, beaver, squirrel. Black, navy, sorrento, brown, with handsome silk linings and warm interlinings. Sizes 15½ to 42.

## Soundly Good Values in Girls' Coats

Sizes 7 to 14

Fetching little models, in warm American coatings. Light and dark brown, camel hair, tan, pekin blue; sport and dressy styles, some with shawl collars of fur..... **\$9.98 to \$20**

## Good Looking Bolivia Coats

For Girls from 7 to 12

Navy and brown, in stylish copies of grown-up models. Large opossum collars, satin lining, warm interlinings.... **\$7.98**



## Gifts That Men Want

From a store where they come to buy such things themselves. This is a Men's Store, abounding in splendid Gift Suggestions for Men. Whatever you choose here will be sure to gratify and satisfy the man who gets it. A Few Suggestions—



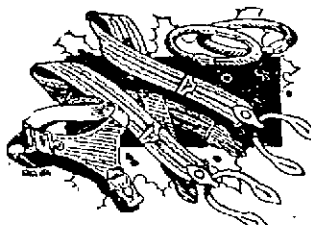
### SCARFS

BRUSHED WOOL  
\$1.50 and Up

ALPACA WOOL  
\$3.00

SILK AND FIBRES  
\$1.50 up to \$5.00

Single Brighton or Boston  
Garters.... 25¢ and 50¢  
Suspenders Combinations,  
75¢, \$1.00, \$1.50  
Garter and Belt Combinations,  
\$1.00 and \$1.50  
Armbands.... 25¢ and 50¢  
(Choice Colors.)



### HOSIERY

SILK AND  
WOOL

Silk Plaited  
50¢

Thread Silk  
Full Fashioned  
\$1.00

Cashmere  
50¢

Dropstitch Wool  
85¢

Fine All Wool... \$1.00

Finest Silk and Wool, full  
fashioned.... \$1.50

Other Useful Christmas Gifts for Men—Gloves,  
Caps, Sweaters, Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Cuff Buttons,  
Shirts, Bathrobes, Tom Wye Knit Jackets, Underwear,  
Flannel Shirts.

The Home of "Sweet-Orr" Work Clothes

**Fraser's**  
**MEN'S WEAR**  
Middlesex & Gorham Sts.

### LADIES' HEBREW CHARITY SOCIETY

Several hundred couples attended the 17th annual ball of the Ladies' Hebrew Charity Society in Associate hall last night. The decorative scheme of the hall consisted of a display of the national colors, intertwined with white and blue bunting, forming an attractive picture. Prior to the general dancing, a brief concert by the orchestra was enjoyed. The officers in charge of the affair were as follows: Arrangement committee, Mrs. L. Cohen, president; Mrs. A. Neymann, vice-president; Mrs. I. Lightman, treasurer; Mrs. S. Miller, secretary; general manager, Mrs. Ida Foster; assistant general manager, Mrs. L. Domesick; floor director, Mrs. Ida Frank; assistant floor director, Mrs. S. Cohen; chief aid, Mrs. D. Ziskind; aids, Mrs. Hatter, Mrs. P. Wagenheim, Mrs. Feldman, Mrs. I. Bernstein, Mrs. B. Shapiro.

Mrs. R. Brownstein, Mrs. Fern, Mrs. P. H. Cohen.

### BRUNEN'S DAUGHTER AGAIN ON STAND

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., Dec. 14.—Hazel Brunen, the 17-year-old daughter of "Honest" John T. Brunen, who created a sensation yesterday by testifying against Mrs. Doris Brunen, her stepmother, and Harry C. Mohr, on trial for murdering her father, was on the witness stand again today. Cross-examined by counsel for the defense, she repeated the story of her close contact with William Pickelstein, a lion tamer, and how Mrs. Brunen had sided with her against her father. When the trial was resumed today, Mrs. Harry C. Mohr, who created a stir yesterday by crying out to Hazel: "I'll smack you dead," was permitted to sit in the courtroom again, but before being allowed to enter she was searched for weapons.

### U. S. APPEAL AVERTS BREAK

Ambassador Childs' Frank

Talk Makes Good Impression in Turkish Circles

LAUSANNE, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Ambassador Childs' frank talk with Ismet Pasha yesterday on the subject of minorities residing in Turkey made a good impression in Turkish circles and exercised a calming influence on the entire Lausanne conference, which nervously saw dangers of a breakdown of all the negotiations because of the threatened rupture over the treatment of the Greeks and Armenians by Turkey. The friendly intervention of the American ambassador at the right moment has convinced the Turks of the immense strength of world opinion—particularly that of the United States—on the need for a settlement of the minority problem. Ambassador Childs urged Ismet to reconsider his position as to the Armenians and other dislodged populations, pointing out that American contributors to relief work in the Near East desired to know that their gifts would help the refugees in Asia Minor to settle in permanent homes.

Turkish spokesmen believe that the American representative at the conference was the natural arbitrator on this vexing problem. They contend that Turkey desires to do the right thing, but adds that any measures designed to satisfy world opinion must not violate Turkey's sovereign rights or force her to grant exceptional privileges to people within her borders whom she cannot assimilate. Ismet's reply to Lord Curzon's vigorous denunciation of the Turkish attitude toward the minority question, was awaited today, with many delegates predicting that Ismet, bowing to high humanitarian considerations, would offer new suggestions calculated to prepare the way for a satisfactory settlement of the Armenian-Greek difficulty.

### WATER IS SHUT OFF

Mayor Curley Says Water Department Justified—15 Families Affected

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Mayor James M. Curley today issued a statement announcing that the city would not be justified in taking any action to resume water service to 15 families residing on Fenwick street, Dorchester, tenants of Mrs. Louis E. Abramson of Allston, until the water bill covering a period of five years and totalling \$1238 had been paid. The mayor deplored the fact that the tenants had been made to suffer through the action of the city water department yesterday afternoon in shutting off the supply, but declared that the city's business could not go on if delinquent persons were allowed to run up bills.

Officials of the water and law departments were called in conference today to consider the situation. Thirty children are included in the 15 families involved, and at least three of these were said by their parents to be ill. The shutting off of the water, the tenants complained, necessitated the drawing of fires in kitchen ranges to which hot water tanks were attached. Some of the families were thus left without heat in their homes during the night, they said.

### WOMAN DIES AS RESULT OF FALL

Her skull fractured by a fall down a flight of stairs in her home at 120 Cross street, about 5 o'clock last evening, Miss Fannie Cannon, 60, died on the operating table in St. John's hospital an hour later. The woman has lived alone for a number of years, occupying the top tenement in a block as near as can be learned, she came home last evening and had reached the top step of a long flight when she felt backwards. She was heard to fall by neighbors, who in turn summoned medical aid.



For School Committee  
**Arthur L. Eno**

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Adv. CORNELIUS J. O'NEILL, 130 Bellevue St.

### Two Mexican Rebel Leaders Surrender

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Reports of the surrender of two rebel leaders were received here today, while emissaries in behalf of others were in the capital endeavoring to obtain amnesty for their chieftains.

### \$25,000 Loss Caused by Fire

NORTH NEW PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 14.—The \$100,000 wood turning plant of the C. H. Bartlett Manufacturing Co., was damaged by fire of undetermined origin last night. Prompt work by members of the fire crew and volunteer fire fighters saved the plant. The loss was about \$25,000.

### Orient Express Snowed in by Blizzard

ATHENS, Dec. 13.—(By the Associated Press)—The Orient express due in Athens Monday evening, has been snowed in by a blizzard in the Macedonian mountains for the past 24 hours. Three feet of snow have fallen in the mountain districts and trains that should have left this city for the north are being detained here. Among the passengers on the stalled express are four Near East relief nurses.

### FRIDAY AT THE LIVE STORE SAUNDERS

Our Low Prices on Quality Merchandise Are Made Possible by Our Low Operating Cost. All Goods Must Please or Money Cheerfully Refunded.

**FISH** Fresh Shore HADDOCK, lb. .... 5¢  
Sliced COD and HADDOCK, lb. 12¢  
Boston BLUEFISH, lb. .... 12¢  
Fancy Eastern HALIBUT, lb. .... 25¢

Choice Tinker MACKEREL 5¢ each, 6 for 25¢

Fresh Green Smelts, lb. 16¢ Fresh Perch, lb. .... 25¢  
Fresh Boiled Shrimps, lb. 40¢ Fresh Pickerel, lb. .... 25¢  
Meaty Oysters, pt. .... 30¢ Sea Scallops, lb. .... 45¢

FINNAN HADDIE, 10¢ Choice SWORD-FISH, select cuts, lb. 28¢

OYSTERS—CLAMS—MUSSELS IN THE SHELL

**Meat Display** Best and Finest in Lowell. Economy Prices Prevail.

**PORK** Fresh Northern Small Pig LOINS, lb. .... 19¢  
Cut any size you wish

**Lamb** Fine Yearling LEGS, lb. .... 25¢  
Choice Selection.

FANCY NATIVE VEAL LEGS, 25¢ lb.

**Steak** TOP ROUND SIRLOIN VEIN 25¢ lb.  
Cut from Good Quality Beef.

**Corned Beef** Fancy Lean STICKERS, lb. .... 10¢  
Choice THICK RIBS, lb. .... 14¢  
Selected Fancy BRISKETS, Superior Grade, lb. .... 14¢

**CHICKEN** Cut Up, From Fresh Stock, Pound 29¢

ROOSTERS, 32¢ FOWL, 35¢  
Young Fatted, lb. Fresh kill, 4-lb. ave.

**Chuck Rolls** Clear Meat, for Oven or Pot Roast, lb. .... 15¢

### SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Fancy Cape CRANBERRIES..... 2 qts. 25¢

GREEN MOUNTAIN POTATOES 15 lb. 23¢

**Sugar** 10 POUNDS 50¢  
With

1 POUND JEM COFFEE ..... 39¢  
1 POUND HIGHEST GRADE TEA ..... 60¢  
1 POUND BEST GRADE CREAMERY BUTTER..... 49¢  
3 POUNDS DUTCH COCOA ..... 25¢

1/2 Pint Best CREAM Free With 1 lb. TEA . . 60¢  
Milk Free With 1 lb. JEM COFFEE 39¢ lb.

2 Cans Every Day Free FLOUR \$1.25  
EVAP. MILK or 1/2 lb. can Rumford With 1-8 BAKING POWDER Bbl. Bag

FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR!

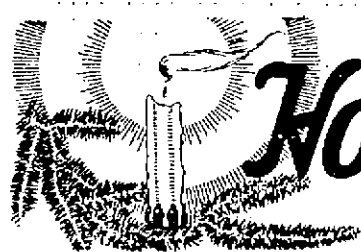
GOLD MEDAL, 1-8 barrel bag ..... \$1.13  
BEN HUR, 1-8 barrel bag ..... \$1.07  
LUXURY PASTRY, 1-8 barrel bag ..... 89¢

FRESH ROASTED COFFEE, High Grade 25¢ lb.

FRESH FROM OUR OVENS  
BREAD 16 oz. 5¢ 24 oz. 8¢ Made From JEM Flour

CREAM PUFFS, very tasty! Each. 5¢ FIG SQUARES, Doz. 18¢

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The greatest display we've ever had.

10¢ Up

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For all ages  
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### DOLLS—DOLLS

Big dolls and little dolls. Dolls that sleep, rag dolls that cannot break.

10¢, 25¢ and Up

### MEN'S BATHROBES SPECIAL \$3.98

Heavy blanket robes of beautiful figured colorings. Usually sold much higher.

### MEN'S BRUSHED WOOL HEATHER SCARFS, SPECIAL \$1.19

Regular \$1.98 value.

### MEN'S ENGLISH RIBBED WOOL SPORT HOSE

Xmas Special ..... 98¢

### MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

10¢ to 50¢  
Extra fine quality.

### LADIES' HOSIERY

Creme Seam Art Silk. SPECIAL, Pair ..... 98¢

### LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS

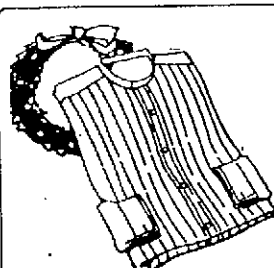
Embroidered  
Lace Corner  
or Fancy colored,  
10¢  
15¢ and 25¢



### Men's Dress Shirts

SILK STRIPES  
FINE MADRAS  
and  
RUSSIAN CORD

Special Price \$1.98



### GROCERY SPECIALS

Cane Sugar..... 10 lbs. 60¢  
Large Juicy Oranges, doz. 40¢  
Bananas, lb. .... 7¢  
Goodwill Laundry Soap,  
10 bars 39¢

### ANSCO CAMERAS

\$1.50  
Takes 1 1/2 x 2 1/2 picture.

### ELECTRIC CHRISTMAS TREE OUTFIT

8 and 16 bulb outfits, \$2.75  
24 bulb outfits..... \$3.98

Beautiful colored lights, can be plugged into any light socket.

### MANICURE SETS.....\$2.98

A beautiful gift of 12 pieces in a silk lined leather case.

### TOILET SETS ..... 89¢

Talcum Powder, fancy soap and toilet water.

### DAINTY CHEMISE.....\$1.95

Creme de Chine and silk in the new shades. An excellent gift.

### FANCY LINGERIE GARTERS

In fancy glass top gift box. Special ..... 49¢

### SILK BOUDOIR CAPS

Extra heavy silk, with lace and ribbon trims ..... \$1.19

**F. E. NELSON CO.**

49 CENTRAL STREET  
Corner Central and Middle



## RECEIPTS FROM TAXES IMPOSED BY STATE

(Special to The Sun.)  
BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Receipts from the various taxes imposed by the Commonwealth aggregated \$40,553,069 during the fiscal year which ended Nov. 30, according to announcement made today by Henry P. Louis, commissioner of corporations and taxation.  
Of this sum, the income tax yielded \$13,505,269; the business corporation tax \$11,089,674; the inheritance tax \$5,508,848; the franchise tax upon public service corporations, \$2,527,397; the tax upon insurance companies, \$2,157,140; the savings institutions tax, \$1,011,270; the national bank tax, \$1,013,498; and the stock transfer tax, \$238,253.  
The aggregate assessed valuation of real estate and tangible personal property, locally valued as of April 1, was \$5,711,023,312, this representing an increase of nearly \$173,000,000 over the 1921 figure, which was \$5,538,189,003.  
Local taxes levied this year, including the poll taxes, amounted to \$2,779,765. This was an increase of approximately \$10,000,000 over the 1921 levies, which in turn represented about the same increase over 1920. Both

these increases, however, compare favorably with the record set up in 1920, which represented an increase of about \$25,000,000 over the 1919 figure.  
Deducting from the total local tax levy this year the amount of the state tax, \$12,000,000, and the county taxes aggregating \$7,807,539, leaves \$112,745,860 which was raised by cities and towns for their own purposes. On the basis of present population this represents a per capita assessment of \$37.11 to meet the costs of local government.  
Long's figures relative to live stock assessed in this state show that on April 1 there were owned in Massachusetts 81,357 horses, this being the smallest number assessed since 1865, when it was 89,750. The maximum, 200,144, was reached in 1897.  
Cows, on the other hand, appear to be increasing in Massachusetts, for this year's assessment, 181,151, is the highest since 1909, when it was 165,221. Last year the number was only 158,305. The largest number ever assessed was in 1880, when the local assessors found 200,658.  
The number of sheep has begun to fall off this year showing but 12,827, as compared with 15,165 last year, and the record number of 169,512 assessed away back in 1864.  
Pigs assessed this year are 23,111, against 23,819 last year and 11,670 in the record year of 1885.  
The number of fowl assessed is

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



REHEARSING AN ACT FOR THE WOMEN'S CLUB CHRISTMAS ENTERTAINMENT

1,460,118 as against 1,217,004 for 1921, and 1,467,495 in 1916, which was the high year in respect to this form of poultry product.  
Dwelling houses were assessed this year to the number of 626,529, as against 620,984 for the year 1921, showing a fairly healthy growth under the circumstances, and being the largest number on record in this state. The smallest number of which there is any record was assessed in 1861, when it was only 178,191.  
HOYT.

**FRENCH NEGLEGES**  
A new note in French negligees is the use of huge cords and girdles and festoons of rope-like material that are introduced on the plain or elaborate model.

## SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Irish laborers vigorously protest against expense of installing new governor-general of Free State in former vice regal lodge.  
American Ambassador Child urges Ismet Pasha to make just concessions for protection of Armenians, Greeks and other minorities in Turkey.  
Birkenhead tells British lords there are limits to humiliations which it is wise to inflict upon Germany.  
Flight of British coal miners because of relatively poor wages excites sympathy of house of commons.  
New York theatrical producers unite to wipe out ticket agencies and improve central office to sell seats at premium of 10 cents.  
Three comets swing through skies for first time in years, Harvard observatory reports.  
Real Japanese invasion threatens United States in form of Japanese beetle, federal horticultural expert declares.  
Chairman Volstead of house judiciary committee declares he has failed to be impressed by testimony against Attorney General Daugherty in impeachment proceedings.  
Parker of Louisiana at conference of governors at White Sulphur Springs.

W. Va. sponsors enactment of law for registration of all members in secret organizations.  
Federal Council of Churches in session at Indianapolis emphasizes responsibility of Protestant churches in United States.  
William J. Burns at hearing on Daugherty impeachment charges says Samuel Gompers has hoodlums him ever since arrest of McNamara brothers in dynamiting plots.  
James J. Phelan, Massachusetts emergency fuel executive, asks Senators Lodge and Walsh to refer question of alleged delayed coal shipments to New England to interstate commerce commission for investigation.  
Seven fugitives balked in attempt to

## Do children know good bread ?

The answer to above question will appear in this space tomorrow.

Yesterday's Question: Does Bond Bread help the grocer?

The Answer: Yes—he creates good-will for his store by selling Bond Bread. And he can sell so much Bond Bread that he can make it the most profitable item in his store. Bond Bread also helps the grocer by gracing his own table.

## Bond Bread

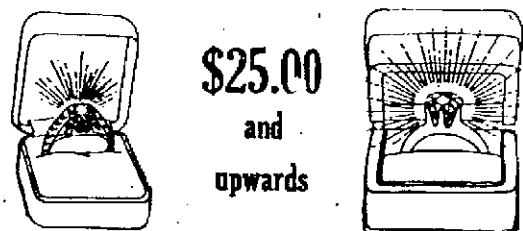
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Federal Council of Churches in session at Indianapolis emphasizes responsibility of Protestant churches in United States.  
William J. Burns at hearing on Daugherty impeachment charges says Samuel Gompers has hoodlums him ever since arrest of McNamara brothers in dynamiting plots.  
James J. Phelan, Massachusetts emergency fuel executive, asks Senators Lodge and Walsh to refer question of alleged delayed coal shipments to New England to interstate commerce commission for investigation.  
Seven fugitives balked in attempt to

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Street Floor

## Christmas in the Notion Section

Brings out many little novelties which are not found at other seasons of the year, and all are attractively priced.

Women's Fancy Garters, in all the pretty light shades. From	50c to \$1.25 pr.
Needle Books, in all sizes and styles. From	25c to \$3.00 ea.
Fancy Sewing Boxes, cretonne and leather covered, in green, old rose, blue, purple. From	59c to \$5.00 ea.
Fancy Shirred Elastic, for fancy garters, in all shades. From	30c yd. to 59c yd.
Kiddies' Rubber Aprons, in tan and blue	50c ea.
Women's Rubber Aprons, in white and colors; a very practical Xmas gift	89c ea.
Guest Room Bouquets; a very pretty colonial bouquet with all the small articles necessary at almost any time.	\$1.00 ea.
Boys' Pocket Knife with chain, two blades	50c ea.

## Toilet Goods Add to the Fragrance of Christmas

Try giving a man or woman any one of the numerous articles for her or his toilet. In either case, you'll be rewarded by genuine pleasure, for toilet goods for one's person add delightful piquancy to the feeling of cleanliness.

Karess Toilet Water	\$3.50	Hudnut's Single Compacts	\$1.00
Karess Perfume, sealed bottle	\$3.50	Colgate's Perfumes, sealed bottle	25c to \$1.00
Karess Toilet Water	25c to \$1.50	Colgate's Toilet Water	25c to \$1.50
Karess Talcum Powder	\$1.00	Colgate's Sets	25c to \$2.00
Karess Face Powder	\$2.00	Vivette Toilet Water	\$1.50
Karess Compacts	75c and \$1.50	Vivette Perfume, sealed bottle	\$2.00
Fiancee Toilet Water	\$2.50	Bonella Toilet Water	\$1.00
Fiancee Perfume, sealed bottle	\$2.50	Bonella Compacts	\$1.00
Fiancee Compacts	75c and \$1.50	Bonella Sets	\$2.00 to \$3.25
Un Air Embaumee Toilet Water	\$3.00 and \$5.69	Woodbury Sets	\$1.19
Un Air Embaumee Perfume, sealed bottle	\$2.75 and \$4.25	Alvilo Sets	\$1.00
Un Air Embaumee Compacts	75c and \$1.39	Hylo Sets	50c and \$1.50
Mary Garden Toilet Water	\$1.50 to \$3.00	Cutex Sets	50c to \$3.00
Mary Garden Compacts	\$1.00	Vantine's Sets, in lacquered boxes	\$4.00 and \$5.00
Mary Garden Sets	\$2.75	Sachets, in sealed bottles	50c to \$2.25
Hudnut's Perfumes, sealed bottles	75c to \$6.00	Guerlain's L'Heure Bleue Perfumes	\$5.00 and \$10.00
Hudnut's Toilet Water	\$1.00 to \$1.75	Hombigant's Perfume, sealed bottles	\$3.50 to \$4.25
Hudnut's Sets	\$1.50 to \$7.50	Coty's Perfumes	\$3.00 to \$5.50
Hudnut's Double Compacts, gold filled case	\$2.50	Caron's Nardisse Noir Perfume, sealed bottle	\$9.50 and \$11.00
Hudnut's Double Compacts	\$1.50	Atonizers	79c to \$2.50

Street Floor

## A Merchandise Order

There are some people whom you simply can't find anything for! They seem to have everything!

Why not give them a merchandise order and let them come in and use it during the year to buy whatever strikes their fancy? It's a sensible gift.

Call at the Glove Section, Street, Floor, and inquire about these orders.

## Silk Underwear

Most women prefer having a piece of Silk Underwear to anything else.

Glove Silk Vests, white, flesh, green, maize and orchid \$1.15 to \$3.00

Jersey Silk Vests, in white, flesh and orchid, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Silk Bloomers \$3.75

Street Floor

## Cedar Chests as Gifts

There is always a place in the home for a cedar chest and they are such appreciated gifts. We have them in great variety, just waiting to add a touch of life to some empty spot. It may be a small one, that is 30 inches long, 15 inches wide and 10 inches deep, or a large one, 45 inches long, 21 inches wide and 18 inches deep. Of course there are sizes in between: some are plain, some fancy with either wood or brass trimmings. Priced, \$12.00 to \$42.50

Second Floor

## Give Silk Stockings

Here's a real Christmas need—because one can never have too many pairs. Better make your selection today so you'll be sure and get what you want.



Women's Plain Silk Hose, in black and colors	\$1.50 to \$3.50 Pair
Women's Silk Hose, with embroidered clocks	\$3.00, \$4.00 and \$4.50
Women's Silk Hose, with lace clocks	\$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.00 and \$5.25
Women's Navy Silk Hose	\$1.50 to \$2.75
Women's Silk Hose, new shades, otter, dove, brown, polo gray, nut gray	\$2.75 and \$3.00
Children's Silk Hose, fine rib, white and black	\$1.50 and \$2.00

Street Floor

## The Slippers' Ways Are Cushioned Ways

Christmas is the time to replace the old house and bedroom slippers with new ones. What welcome, useful gifts they do make!

Mother, Father, Sister, Brother, Friend—who cannot make real use of a lovely warm, comfortable pair of slippers, that make you think you were walking on cushions.

Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, in all colors, plain and ribbon trimmed	\$2.00
Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, quilted satin	\$2.25
Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, with satin trimming and quilted insoles	\$2.50
Daniel Green Men's Comfy Slippers, in brown and oxford gray	\$2.50
Daniel Green Misses' and Children's Comfy Slippers, in kitty, red, blue and fawn	\$1.50
Daniel Green Russian Booties, in kitty red	\$2.00
Women's Moccasins, live wool lined	\$3.00
Women's Bondair Slippers, mule style, with junior Louis heels and satin linings	\$3.50

Street Floor

## CEMETERY COMMISSION DRAFTS NEW RULES

New regulations governing the conduct of employees of the public cemetery commission, whereby it will prohibit such employees from engaging in cemetery work as individuals or firms, have been framed and approved by the commission, to become effective February 1.

It is alleged that instances of doing such work in spare hours has come to the attention of the board and the new rule has been drafted to put a stop to the practice.

The rules adopted follow:

- 1.—All orders for work of any kind in the public cemeteries shall be left at the office at the Edison cemetery, where all inquiries regarding the same must also be made.
- 2.—No soliciting for work of any kind will be allowed in the public cemeteries.
- 3.—No work in the care of or relative to lots, monuments, etc., shall be allowed in any public cemetery before 8 a. m. or after 5 p. m., without the written permission of the superintendent.
- 4.—Any work to be done by people not employed by the department must be submitted to the superintendent for his approval before commencing, and his approval of the same must be obtained when the work is finished.

5.—No person or firm caring for lots as a business shall use water provided by the cemetery department without the written permission of the superintendent, who shall make a charge of the same.

6.—No hose pipe connections will be allowed at any time without the written consent of the superintendent.

7.—All foundations must be laid and built by the cemetery department under the direction of the superintendent.

8.—No material of any kind will be provided by the cemetery department to outside parties without a charge for the same, written consent of the superintendent to be given, stating cost.

9.—Immediately upon completion of any work on lots, all surplus material must be removed by those doing the work, avenues or lots other than the ones upon which work is being done must not be occupied, but must be kept clear at all times.

10.—No employees of the cemetery department shall be allowed to engage as a private individual or firm, in the business of cutting for lots, grading or work of any kind relating to the public cemeteries. Any employee violating this rule shall be liable to immediate discharge.

11.—All persons are forbidden walking across or making paths over lots as thoroughfares, or entering upon lots for any other purpose than that of necessary work.

12.—The penalty for violation of these rules shall be the withdrawal of all privileges of work or employment in the cemeteries at the discretion of the commissioners, and any improper, trespass, vandalism or other illegal act shall subject the offender to liability of arrest and prosecution in the courts.

## HELD STAG PARTY

A successful stag party for the members of the Father Mathew society of North Billerica was conducted in the rooms of the organization Tuesday night. The affair was largely attended and proved a source of enjoyment for all present. In the early evening a brief business session was held with President D. Fred Beardon in the chair. A brief address was given by Rev. Dr. Charles Sullivan, pastor of St. Andrew's church, who is spiritual director of the society. The entertainment which followed was as follows: Piano selections, George Freeman; solo, James H. Gannon; dancing, specialty, James Walker, song, Edward Gannon; reading, George Enright; character songs, Bert Ellis; quartet numbers, Edward Collins, Henry Sullivan, James Walker, Edward Cox; songs, Louis Mahoney, Carl Lintner, Leo Nugent and Fred Sheridan. The literary committee comprised of J. Frank Mullen, Edward Gannon and Thomas F. Sheridan, had charge of the affair. Refreshments, cigars and fruit were served.

**POST NOMINATES OFFICERS**  
A feature of the recent meeting of Billerica post, 118, American Legion, was the nomination of officers, which resulted as follows: Harold Tivy, commander; Henry Sullivan, vice commander; John Maxwell, adjutant; Joseph Fairbrother, historian; Louis Mahoney, chaplain; John T. Gordon, sergeant-at-arms; John J. McSweeney, executive committee. The election will take place at next Monday night's meeting.

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## CREW RESCUED AT SEA

Norwegian Steamer Picked Up 20 Shipwrecked French Fishermen

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—The story of the rescue of 20 shipwrecked French fishermen, crew of the trawler Auguste Leblonde, was told today when the Norwegian steamer Niels Nielsen arrived here, a week late, with a cargo of coal from Grandemouthe.

Last Wednesday night off the Grand Banks the Nielsen picked up a wireless call from the Auguste Leblonde, saying the trawler was sinking and required immediate help. Proceeding immediately, the Nielsen with difficulty took off her crew early Thursday morning. The trawler sank shortly afterward, about 150 miles southeast of Cape Race.

The Leblonde had been caught in bad weather and had been heavily pounded by the seas. The Nielsen put into Halifax, where the ship wrecked crew was landed.

## LIQUOR TRAFFIC ON AN ORGANIZED BASIS

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 14.—Officials who maintain a watch over motor traffic and over liquor transportation in New Brunswick have uncovered some of the methods used by persons running liquor into the United States over the roads. The traffic is said to be on an organized basis.

Information received here is to the effect that the run from St. John to New York is made on a schedule call-out for a three day trip. Automobiles have been observed to be very different in appearance on their return from New York and some of those engaged in the traffic have disclosed that it is the practice to apply a new color scheme to each car while it is in New York using a paint which dries overnight.

The carrying of liquor is legal until it reaches the boundary, as it is transported under government export license.

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A rich evening costume of gold cloth is made with a full pointed tulle of the gold over a gold lace petticoat, and a sash drapery of coral silk.

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"McCallum" Silk Hosiery, \$1.98 to \$7.50  
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 Glove Silk Hosiery, ranging from \$2.29 to \$3.50  
 All-Over Silk Hosiery, Mexican cloths, in black and white, \$3.50  
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## Knit Underwear

Well known make of ladies' fine All Wool Vests, bodice style, all sizes; value \$1.50. Sale price 59c

Ladies' Silk and Wool and All Wool Union Suits, no sleeve, knee and ankle length, hand top, all sizes. Sale price \$1.79

Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests, low neck and no sleeve, hand top; value \$1.00. Sale price 59c

## Silk Underwear

Ladies' All Silk Jersey Vests, bodice and hand tops, in flesh, white, orchid, sky and black, \$1.79 to \$2.98

Ladies' All Silk Jersey Bloomers, in flesh, white, orchid, sky and black, \$2.49 to \$3.98

Ladies' All Silk Jersey Sport Knickers, in all the latest shades, \$3.98  
 Ladies' All Silk Jersey Petticoats, in navy, Belgian blue, henna, taupe, grey fringe bottom, \$4.25

## HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Pure Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, each, 19c to 75c

Men's Pure Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, 29c, 35c, 50c and \$1.00

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Men's Plain Cotton Handkerchiefs and Tape Borders, 10c, 15c, 18c, 25c and 29c

Women's Hand Embroidered Lace Trimmed Handkerchiefs, all linen, in colors, 29c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

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Carved Ivory Beads, in 24 and 30-inch lengths, (graduated.) Prices range from \$1.25 to \$2.98

Hand Made Beaded Bags, imported, made with shell top or draw cord, \$6.98 and \$7.50

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Colored Glass Novelties, comprising butter tubs, marmalade jars, syrup jars, powder jars, etc. Specially priced at \$1.25

Hand Bags of pin seal, beaver calf, Persian and other leathers. Some with leather lined flaps. All fitted bags, \$3.95

Dressy Bags of beaver calf, pin seal and velvet, fitted with swing purse and mirror, \$5.95

## Toilet Department

Perfume—All odors, 25c to \$5.50  
 Toilet Water—All odors, 25c to \$5.50  
 Children's Perfume and Combination Sets, 25c to 60c  
 Toilet Goods Sets—Including powder, perfume, toilet water, talc and soap, 75c to \$1.10  
 Manicure Sets, 50c to \$1.50  
 Incense Sets—Including burner and incense, 50c to \$2.00  
 Flapnells, \$1.00 and \$1.50  
 Leather Manicure Roll-Ups—Ivory, shell and pearl handles, \$1.98 to \$16.98

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Military Sets—In shell, plain ivory or Dubarry pattern. Three to five pieces, \$8.98 to \$16.98 Per Set

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Ivory Jewel Cases, \$1.19 to \$8.00

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Ladies' 2-Clasp Kid Gloves, black, white, grey, brown, tan, beaver, mole, fancy embroidered backs. Price, \$2.50

Ladies' 2-Clasp Kid Gloves, Fownes' make, black and brown, \$2.25

Fancy Chamols Suede Gauntlet Gloves, tan and beaver, \$2.75

One-Clasp Cape-Skin Gloves, in tan and beaver. Price, \$2.29

Street Floor

## INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVING

(Special to The Sun).  
 BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Steady improvement in industrial conditions is indicated in reports made to the state department of labor and industries by establishments in this state from which the department collects statistics monthly.  
 The reports for the second week in November which were made by 202 establishments employing approximately 120,000 hands, and representing every major industry in the state, show that the payrolls for the week were 10.2 per cent higher than for the corresponding week in October in the same plants.  
 In its analysis of the reports, published today, the department points out that whereas in October the aggregate number of persons employed in the 202 plants was 119,533, in November the number was 132,361. The average wage paid in these industries in the November week was \$22.68, while in the October week it was only \$21.02, showing an average increase of \$1.64 per week.  
 The report points out, however, that it should be borne in mind that about three-fourths of the establishments reporting included payrolls for a week in October in which a holiday occurred, so that the actual average wage is probably about the same in both months.  
 It appears, however, that in a great many establishments efforts were made

by both employers and employees to minimize the effects of the cessation of operations on the holiday, by making up the time on other days of the same week.  
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## AUTO TURNS TURTLE ON BILLERICA ROAD

A sedan automobile in which were riding a man and woman turned over on the Billerica road last evening, but no one was injured and the machine was but slightly damaged. It seems that the driver of the sedan applied the brakes too suddenly when passing an automobile operated by Normand Duchesne of 234 Steadman st., Chelsea, causing the auto to turn over. The accident was reported at the police station by Mr. Duchesne.  
 Robert Shaughnessy of Dorchester sustained a severe cut on the head late yesterday afternoon when he was struck by an automobile at the junction of Appleton and South streets. The driver of the auto was Maurice N. Leach of 66 Harris avenue, who claims that Shaughnessy, George Collins of 11 Fay street and John J. Hayden of 1814 Gorham street, were crossing the street when the automobile came along shortly before 6 o'clock. The other two men got out of the way, but Shaughnessy was struck. He was treated at St. John's hospital.  
 P. R. Hovey, a boy residing at 2 Fairmount st., was slightly injured about the head yesterday when while coasting on Oak street, he crashed into an automobile owned by the R. H. Wiggin Co. and operated by Jack Silk of 39 Jenness street. The boy was taken to his home.

## Radio Broadcasts

STATION WGL, MEDFORD HILLSIDE  
 3.00 p. m.—Mid afternoon News Broadcast, II. Production by the Chickering Ample and Brunswick.  
 5.30 p. m.—Boston farmers' produce market report (435 meters). Market report—United States bureau of agricultural economics (455 meters). a. Chicago live stock market, prices and conditions. b. Final review of day's prices and market conditions for Boston on butter and eggs.  
 6.00 p. m.—"General Conditions in the Shoe and Leather Industry," a weekly review by the New England Shoe and Leather association.  
 6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports, Boston police headquarters. Late news flashes—early sports news.  
 9.30 p. m.—Evening program. Concert by Jonquil Mandolin club, Mrs. E. A. Savage, leader, Mr. Harold Osgood, pianist, Miss Winona Noy, soprano, March. Selected.  
 "A Little Story".....Odell  
 "The Home Town Band".....Weld  
 Mandolin Club  
 Miss Winona Noy.....Selected  
 "Debutante Night," "Tales of Hoffmann" Group of Popular Songs:  
 "Kentucky Babe".....Geibel  
 "Oh Promise Me".....McKoven  
 Waltz.....Selected  
 Mandolin Club  
 Soprano solo.....Selected  
 Miss Winona Noy  
 Group of Christmas Carols.  
 Mandolin Club  
 STATION WJAC, BOSTON  
 4.15 p. m.—Dance music by Shepard Colonial orchestra.  
 4.45 p. m.—Short talk on setting up exercises for women by Eleanor H. Cass.  
 4.30 p. m.—Dance music by the orchestra, followed by selections on the player piano.  
 7.15 p. m.—Bedtime story by Mrs. William H. Stewart.  
 7.25 p. m.—Entertainment program by Group 4, Boy Scouts of America, of Roslindale.  
 STATION WBZ, SPRINGFIELD  
 7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story; market reports.  
 7.45 p. m.—"Of Interest to War Savings Stamp Holders," by F. C. Ayres, treasury department, commonwealth of Massachusetts.  
 8 p. m.—Evening concert program.  
 STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY (403 Meters)  
 6 p. m.—Produce and stock market reports and quotations, news bulletin.  
 7.45 p. m.—Concert program, including the presentation of a Christmas play entitled "The Sign of the Cross."  
 STATION WJZ, NEWARK  
 4 p. m.—Closing stock prices; fashion talk.  
 6.30 p. m.—Closing prices on stocks, bonds, grain, coffee and sugar.  
 6.45 p. m.—Resume of sporting events.  
 6 p. m.—Musical program.  
 7 p. m.—Bedtime stories and songs.  
 8.30 p. m.—Evening concert.  
 8.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals.  
 10.01 p. m.—Continuation of concert program.  
 STATION KTV, CHICAGO (Central Time)  
 6.30 p. m.—News, sports and stock market summaries; bedtime story.

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They act promptly and freely, but gently, thoroughly cleansing the bowels, comforting the stomach, stimulating the liver, the specific for indigestion, headache, biliousness, heartburn, flatulency.  
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8 p. m.—Concert program.  
 STATION KDKA, PITTSBURGH  
 7 p. m.—News, industrial survey.  
 7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story.  
 7.45 p. m.—Summary of the New York stock exchange and other features.  
 8 p. m.—Home furnishing hints.  
 8.30 p. m.—Concert by KDKA Little Symphony orchestra.  
 Everything comes to those who wait. In Chicago, landlords held up a café and robbed the waiters.

## RAOUL DIONNE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

The annual election of officers for Club Cloyens-Americans took place last evening at a largely attended meeting, which was held in the quarters of the organization in Middle street. The Australian ballot was used and the result was as follows:  
 Raoul Dionne, president; Alfred

Journals, vice-president; Arthur La-vole, treasurer; J. A. Robillard, secretary; Charles Grenier, inside guard; J. Genest, Arthur Turcotte and Ugele Pavreau, directors for two years. The election was conducted under the direction of J. Omer Allard, John Durand, Trefle Bordreau, Henri Allard, and Vidal Manseau, who acted as election officers.  
 In the course of the meeting, which was presided over by President Dionne, several members were initiated and

routine business was transacted. It was announced that the installation will take place on the first Wednesday in January and will be followed by a social hour during which luncheon will be served and entertainment numbers will be given.

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128 GORHAM STREET

# FIRE, SMOKE and WATER SALE

Overstock of Shoes and Rubbers at our other store on Middlesex St. We are forced to move part of our Smoke and Water Damaged Goods to our Gorham St. Store. We are offering great reductions for the public of Lowell at slashing prices. Take advantage of this great sacrifice for your Christmas shopping, as our supply of goods will be limited. Buy at your own price, and don't forget the time, the place.

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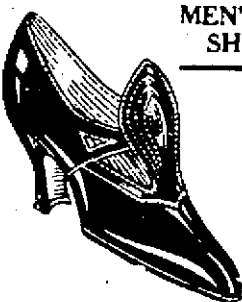
MEN'S WORK  
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2800 PAIRS WOMEN'S STRAP  
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 SLIPPERS for Xmas Gifts 39c

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For an impressive substantial little gift at moderate cost the Electric Toaster is in a class by itself.

It adds distinction to the breakfast table, is so attractive in appearance that every housewife is proud to possess one and is so useful it is never dispensed with when once it is used.

Select one now for Xmas delivery.

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29-31 Market St.

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OUT OUR WAY

## TO REQUIRE GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—A bill to require general liability insurance of motor vehicle owners was filed in the legislature yesterday by Senator Abbott H. Rice. The bill, which would create a state automobile insurance board and establish an insurance fund, would entitle persons injured by automobiles, or their dependents, to indemnity from the commonwealth.

Massachusetts automobile owners would also be insured against liability arising from accidents occurring in this state and in other states with similar laws.

The amounts of indemnity would be based on the Workmen's Compensation law, with a maximum of \$4000 for death, \$1000 for incapacitation and the minimum indemnity fixed at \$1000.

The premiums to be paid to the registrar of motor vehicles at the time of registration, for the first year would be as follows:

Motorcycles, \$4; passenger cars, \$12; trucks, \$25. These rates would be revised yearly.

"Our sink had such a horrid odor"

"Our kitchen sink became positively objectionable. We tried everything poured in gallons of soda, ammonia, lye water. Nothing seemed to help. Finally, John sent for the plumber."

"He opened up the trap—the curved pipe under the sink. My dear! That's where the smell came from. I never knew a sink drain could be so dreadful."

"After the plumber left, the odor was not so bad for a while, but then it grew worse."

"I'm so proud of my clean, little kitchen. That sink made me too blue for anything."

"Last Thursday evening, the Lynns were over and Mrs. Lynn came into the kitchen to help me with the coffee and sandwiches."

"What a perfect dear of a kitchen you have," she said, going over to rinse her hands at the sink—and then I saw her smile fade."

"She is such a model housekeeper. I felt like crying. 'Oh, isn't it too dreadful!'—I managed to say. 'And we've done everything.'"

"It was then she told me about Sypho-Nathol."

"I didn't seem possible, but Mrs. Lynn had had a sink that smelled even worse, she said, than mine. And Sypho-Nathol made it sweet and clean over night."

"Next morning, I phoned the grocer to include a bottle of Sypho-Nathol in my order. Following directions on the package, I put a teaspoonful into a quart of warm water and poured the clean-smelling, pearly gray solution into the sink drain."

"From that minute, my sink has smelled just as sweet and clean as it always looked."

"I use Sypho-Nathol in a lot of ways—for scrub water that not only cleans and sweetens, but destroys all kinds of germs; as a sprinkler that chases away damp, musty, cellar smells; for the laundry tub, ice-box drains and garbage cans. And, of course, I use it regularly in the bathroom, around the toilet fixtures, and as a weekly flush for the closet bowl."

Sypho-Nathol is 44 times stronger than Carbolic Acid—yet is as safe to have in the house as a cake of soap. It comes in four handy sizes, 15c, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Complete directions are on the bottle. Your grocer or druggist has it. If he hasn't, he can get it easily. Just ask for it by name—"Sypho-Nathol."

## NOTABLE COLLECTION

Material Used By Primitive

Tribes of Southern Cameroon Region Received

CAMBRIDGE, Dec. 14.—A collection of material illustrating the daily life of the primitive tribes of the Southern Cameroon region in West Africa, just received by the Peabody Museum at Harvard University, will be added to the museum's African collection, the third largest of its kind in the country. The Cameroon collection is believed to be without parallel in America.

The objects were collected for the museum by George Schwab, superintendent of the American Presbyterian mission schools in the Cameroons. Among them are several prehistoric stone axes and other stone implements such as are handed down from generation to generation in the native families to give good luck and to keep the dead from tormenting them.

Another feature of the collection is a number of diving nets, used by the superstitious natives to settle important questions in their daily lives. A typical diving net contains pieces of animals and natural objects regarded as representing the powers of the universe. A porcupine quill is included for its penetrating quality; a bit of a leopard's skin because the leopard represents strength, a stone from the stomach of a crocodile because of the local legend that a crocodile which has swallowed blue stones cannot be harmed; a piece of a hawk, which gathers everything in its talons, symbolizing the bringing to bear of all these forces. There are also crystals, representing the eye which sees everything and large numbers of ant-later scales out and marked to represent events, courses of action, etc. This assortment is placed on a board; the scales are placed in a basket and shaken out, and the way in which the various fragments fall determines the answer to the problem.

The collection contains also a number of pipes of cast bronze, examples of the unusual work of this region; chairs, drums, fighting helmets, bronze collars, spear head money and "memory sticks."

## NEW CLOSED REOS FILL REAL DEMAND

"We have a pair of closed cars now that fill a real demand," says Daniel E. McQuade, Lowell Reo distributor.

"Many motorists, familiar with the smoothness of operation, the power and the durability of Reo passenger cars, have wished that Reo would produce a closed car selling under \$2000. They have appreciated the superb quality of the 'Series B' aluminum panel closed models, but have wished for a car combining the same fundamentals of closed car construction while using the less expensive materials where deflection, to Reo's reputation, would permit. Reo has now come forth with just such a car—the 'Series C' steel panel coupe and sedan."

The same scientific principles that enter into the building of the best closed cars today govern the construction of these bodies. A rugged hardwood frame, braced with drop forgings—panels fitted to the frame and not supporting weight—frame joints first glued, then screwed or bolted—panel points open to allow for movement—a sound absorbing, semi-rigid roof—a drip moulding to carry away roof drainage—and many other features characteristic only of well-built bodies."

FOR LADY NIC  
New smoking jackets and suits for women, imported from England, show short coats and full trousers of velvet, broadcloth and satin, banded with fur and elaborately trimmed.



THE AFTER DINNER SPEAKER

## MANY CHANGES IN CLOSED OAKLANDS

Six brand new Oakland cars, three open models and three closed cars, the complete new line for 1923, are now on the showroom floors of the Lowell Oakland Co., local distributors, at 314-324 Middlesex street. These models will be on exhibition all this week.

The closed cars arrived in the local freight yards Monday afternoon, and from the moment they were rolled into the showroom floor they have attracted much favorable comment. Particular attention has been paid to the new five-passenger coupe which in its appearance and appointments is one of the most remarkable cars that Oakland has ever produced.

In speaking of the new closed cars Arthur E. Pease of the Lowell Oakland Co. says: "Both the five-passenger coupe and the sedan of the new Oakland 1923 series are distinctly new models. Their Fisher-built bodies are among the latest and finest work of this master body-builder—both in the rare beauty

of their interior lines and in the wealth and completeness of their interior appointments.

"Commodious in their arrangement, with ample room for all passengers; unusually comfortable in their riding qualities; quiet, smooth, and at all times dependable in their operation, these two new models offer to discriminating purchasers unusually wide seats, insuring the maximum of comfort. Large plate glass windows—operated mechanically—insure unobstructed view in all directions, with ample light and ventilation."

## DODGE SEDAN

This car has been an important factor in establishing the present day tendency to drive all winter, remarked Dan O'Dea of the Lowell Motor Mart. The close fitting curtains provide ample protection against wind and cold. The safety-bread cord tires minimize skidding and reduce tire trouble to its simplest terms.

And every owner appreciates the remarkable dependability of the starter. It responds quickly and quietly in the coldest weather.

## MAYOR CURLEY TO RUN FOR GOVERNOR

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—Mayor James M. Curley last night formally announced his candidacy for governor of Massachusetts in 1924. Speaking before a large gathering of supporters in the Elk hall he thanked the Boston finance commission and other agencies "which seek to block the path of progress for men in public service" and declared that his fight for governor was on.

## DUEL WITH PISTOLS

Dr. Brum and Dr. Herrera Exchange Shots

MONTevideo, Uruguay, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Dr. Baltazar Brum, president of Uruguay, and Dr. Luis Alberto Herrera, former secretary of the legation at Washington, fought a duel with pistols late yesterday afternoon. Each man fired two shots. Neither was hit.

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Don't stay stuffed-up! Quit blowing! Usually break up the cold completely and snuffling! Take "Pape's Cold and end all gripe misery." "Pape's Cold Compound" every two hours until the three doses are taken. The first dose quickest, surest, toller known and opens clogged-up nostrils and air passages only a few cents at drug stores, sages of head; stops nose running; relieves headache, dullness, feverishness, slits upon Pape's—Adv. sneezing. The second and third doses

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## Clearance Sale AT THE Rialto Cloak & Suit Co. 117-119 CENTRAL STREET

## Bigger Values Than Ever

Right Now in the Midst of the Season Everything Reduced for Our Clearance Sale

Best Styles---Qualities and Workmanship---Lowest Prices

## A High Standard of Quality

Has Always Been a Feature of the Merchandise Sold by

## Adams & Company

And it was never emphasized stronger than it is in the showing of GIFT FURNITURE now in their showrooms.

What better gift could be desired by the young housekeeper than one of those HANDSOME TEA WAGONS—They are priced from \$25.00 to \$50.00

To make mother's sewing room complete she would appreciate one of those convenient little

## SEWING TABLES

Prices from \$2.50 to \$25.00

HINTS OF OTHER FURNITURE PIECES THAT ARE PARTICULARLY APPROPRIATE FOR

## Christmas Presents

ROCKING CHAIRS  
SCREENS  
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CEDAR CHESTS  
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SEWING CABINETS  
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And many other pieces of furniture of beautiful woods, correct designs and highest grade of workmanship.

We are also showing a fine line of Children's Furniture and Toys that will please the little ones.

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Of the better grades. High grade materials and richly fur trimmed. Values up to \$69.50.

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## COATS

FUR TRIMMED

\$15.75 and \$18.75

\$25.00 to \$32.50 Values.

57 COATS \$7.90

SPORT MODELS

Values up to \$18.50.

## COATS

65 EXCLUSIVE STYLES

\$52.50

Samples mostly. Beaver collar, fox fur collars, squirrel trimmed. Values up to \$97.50.



PLUSH COATS and FUR FABRIC COATS, \$18.75, \$22.50, \$27.50, \$32.50, up to \$67.50

Values from \$32.50 up to \$87.50.

BARGAINS ARE TOO NUMEROUS TO MENTION—COME LOOK THEM OVER.

## Rialto Cloak & Suit Store,

117-119 CENTRAL STREET

## BEAUTIFUL NEW DRESSES

In Pointe Twill, Silks, Velvets and Chiffon Taffetas. Values up to \$23.50.

\$7.90 and \$9.90

EXCEPTIONAL VALUE

## DRESSES

Canton, Chiffon Velvets, new Taffetas; entirely new and different styles. Values up to \$48.50.

\$15.75, \$18.75 and \$22.50

## MILLINERY

Brand New Hats, just arrived. These new silk hats, sport and trimmed hats, to be cleaned out at this special clearance sale.

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Your  
Money  
Back  
If You  
Want  
It

\$17.50

\$19.50

\$22.50

\$25



UNHEARD OF PRICES  
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\$7.50 \$10 \$12.50 up to \$20

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\$10 Boys' 2-Pant SUITS

A value you'll appreciate—Boys' Suits in newest double and single breasted models, beautiful colorings. These suits include two pairs lined knickers. Sizes 8 to 18.

Boys' \$12.50 Chinchilla OVERCOATS \$8.50

Positively an all-wool, good warm, durable Winter Overcoat, made from the better grade of blue, brown and tan chinchilla with plaid lining. Sizes 3 to 10.

OTHER OVERCOATS UP TO \$65

MEN'S \$100  
FUR LINED  
COATS

Made of Fine ALL WOOL KERSEY SHELL, Pieced Martmot Lining, Electric Seal Collar

\$45

Usters—  
Reefers—

Made with Muff Pockets, Windshield Wristers, Rubber Interlined, at Positive Savings of 25%.

Men's \$20  
Sheep Lined  
COATS

Extra Heavy Weight Moleskin Shell, Beaverized Lamb Collar. Sizes up to 50.

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SPECIAL—17 Men's \$10 and \$12.50  
BLANKET LINED COATS \$6.95

Made with a Heavy Moleskin Shell, some with Oilskin Interlining. Sizes—1 36, 5 38, 1 40, 5 42, 2 44, 3 46. Special at

BOYS' \$12.50 SHEEP LINED COATS \$7.95  
Heavy Moleskin Shell, Sheared Sheepskin Lining; sizes 8 to 18.

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\$1.00 Boys' Fairmount BLOUSE WAISTS 55c \$5.00 Boys' Shaker Knit SWEATERS, at \$3.50

Boys' \$5.00 RUBBER COATS, at \$3.50 25c Boys' Triple Toe and Heel HOSE, at 12c

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166 CENTRAL STREET

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## RECEIVE CALLS FOR AID

Humane Society is Endeavoring to Assist the Poor and Needy

Charitable men and women of ample means and kindly hearts have been calling or telephoning the headquarters of the Lowell Humane society on Appleton street this week, desiring to obtain names of families in distress and aid them temporarily, if possible. Inquiries have been made by the Elks and other fraternal societies and several churches.

Agent C. E. Richardson has recently had presented to him for investigation a case from the Humane Congress number of Lowell families burdened by extreme poverty due to unemployment, sorrows occasioned by shiftless husbands and fathers who drink intoxicating liquors and the blight of sickness and other troubles. These names have been furnished upon request to men and women with sympathetic leanings, and through the aid of the Humane society and the charitably-inclined, numerous Lowell homes where distress is rampant may be temporarily some degree of Yuletide happiness in relief of menacing conditions and stalled.

The local branch of the Humane society has no assignment of funds

with which to carry on relief work at Christmas time or any other period of the year, insofar as supplying funds and necessities of family life are related. The society, however, receives numerous requests all through the year from "unfortunate families who desire to appeal directly to the city authorities or the regular charity institutions incorporated for this sort of work. Whenever the Humane society can aid any family by calling attention to the case, referring it to the properly constituted authorities, it does so and gladly.

This week Agent Richardson has received calls from numerous supplicants who never are afraid to enter the Humane society offices and lay their cases before this officer of the humanity rescue forces. He has in each case got immediately in touch with generous Lowell citizens anxious to learn of such cases, and relief has been rendered at once.

### Family Troubles Aired

Several cases of family disagreements and straitened circumstances harboring closely upon actual starvation under the most pitiable conditions imaginable, have just been carefully investigated by the Humane society agent and attended to.

This week a widow with five children to support, called for aid, with a story rarely equalled in many respects. She had been unable to obtain employment, the rent in a small Lowell tenement poorly furnished and equipped for living quarters, is unpaid, and at the time the Humane society agent was summoned there was no food of

any kind except a small amount of flour and a few pieces of bread crusts in the pantry. Fuel appeared to be out of the question, although small kindling had occasionally been found in a nearby vacant lot and had provided a little heat for one room. The widowed mother was at the end of her resources, and a trip to her desolate home proved the truth of her story beyond question. Arrangements were made with a society sympathizer to provide immediate aid in the way of temporary fuel and food, and it is understood that the rent will be taken care of during the winter, or until the mother's health enables her to obtain some employment to provide for her family.

This case is typical of the number of similar cases brought to the attention of the Humane society, where unfortunate persons have refrained from calling upon either the Salvation Army or the city authorities supposed to attend to relief in cases of absolute want and distress.

Another case involved a family with five children where the mother was having difficulty in finding enough to eat, with a loafing husband accustomed to purchasing liquor freely almost every day and declining to work, claiming there was no work to be found anywhere in Lowell. When Agent Richardson investigated this case, he discovered the husband ensconced in a rocking chair reading a novel of the ten-cent grade. Advice was given here and some aid and conditions are changed now following Mr. Richardson's reading of a lecture that cut four ways and went down deep. It is

### Ends Stubborn Coughs in a Hurry

For real effectiveness, this old home-made remedy has no equal. Easily and cheaply prepared.

You'll never know how quickly a bad cough can be conquered, until you try this famous old home-made remedy. Anyone who has coughed all day and all night, will say that the immediate relief of Pinex is almost like magic. It takes but a moment to prepare, and really there is nothing better for coughs. Into a pint bottle, put 2 1/2 ounces of Pinex, then add plain granulated sugar syrup to make a full pint. Or you can use clarified molasses, honey, or corn syrup, instead of sugar syrup. Either way, the full pint saves about two-thirds of the money usually spent for cough preparations, and gives you a more positive, effective remedy. It keeps perfectly and tastes pleasant—children like it.

You can feel this take hold instantly, soothing and healing the membranes in all the air passages. It promptly loosens a dry, tight cough, and soon you will notice the phlegm thin out and then disappear altogether. A day's use will usually break up an ordinary throat or chest cold, and it is also splendid for bronchitis, croup, hoarseness, and bronchial asthma.

Pinex is a most valuable concentrated compound of genuine Norway pine extract, the most reliable remedy for throat and chest ailments. To avoid disappointment, ask your druggist for "2 1/2 ounces of Pinex" with directions, and don't accept anything else. Guaranteed to give absolute satisfaction or money refunded. The Pinex Co., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

said that this novel reader found work the following day, and he has promised to refrain from moonshine or whatever he drinks, until after the Christmas holidays.

### Animals Rescued

Accompanied by a director of the society on Wednesday, last Agent Richardson made a hurried trip to So. Chelmsford, where, in the vicinity of Baptist pond not far from one of the Daniel Gage ice house, an aged, though well fed and apparently serviceable horse was found stalled in the open air with only a thin roof of pine stels acting as a shelter. The weather was decidedly cold, snow lay everywhere, and icicles hung from portions of the roof. An old blanket partly covered the hind quarters of the horse, but that was the extent of the animal's shelter.

Reports had it from substantial citizens who took pains to notify the Humane society, that the animal belonged to a man who was erecting a row of sheds along the shore of the pond for next summer's use. The animal was obliged to remain there practically night and day, being provided with a layer of old straw at night to cover the frozen ground. But there was no shelter about the animal except the small roof overhead, the four posts of the temporary structure being bare of boarding or covers of any kind to keep out the elements that blew in across the cold waters of old Baptist pond.

How the animal managed to live nearly a week under such frightful conditions, with the mercury ranging around 15 and 20 above zero regularly, without an attack of pneumonia, the Humane society officers and Chelmsford town officials do not attempt to fathom.

Chief Fred Vinal assisted the Humane society agent and found the owner of the horse. The conversation was very brief and pointed, and the owner hurriedly promised to take the

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Heavy, all wool, all wool lined—cut full and roomy.

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Plaid back; others heavy all wool plaid linings.



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Children's Wear

### Sheep Lined Coats

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Fur collars and muff pockets.

### RUBBER COATS

\$3.75 to \$8.50

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### CHILDREN'S UMBRELLAS

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### BATH ROBES

Children's \$1.98  
Boys' \$3.50  
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### BOYS' GLOVES

98c \$1.48 \$2  
Gray and brown snede and mocha.

### School Gloves

98c  
Gauntlet, with fingers guaranteed not to harden when wet.

## Indian Tents

Large size, 6 feet high, 6 foot spread at bottom—Each \$10.50  
Smaller sizes \$3.50, \$4.50, \$6.50

### BOYS' SILK SHIRTS

\$5.00

### BLOUSES

75c and 95c  
Silk Stripes  
\$1.50

### Boys' Sport Hose

48c, 89c,  
\$1.39

### Corduroy Pants

\$1.98  
Full lined.  
Hockmeyer Heavy Brown Corduroy—  
\$3.00

HEAVY ALL WOOL SWEATERS—Pull-over style, with large roll collars. \$8.50 and \$10  
SPECIAL—ALL WOOL SWEATERS—Green only \$5.69

## Boys' Belts

48c and 98c  
Initial buckles.

## Boys' Handkerchiefs

15c  
Extra fine.

# Macartney's

BOYS' STORE.

animal over to a nearby farmer's barn and keep him there. Not until the animal had been untied and led away to its shelter, did the officers feel like taking the road back to Lowell, and the Chelmsford office of the law had instructions to see that nothing like this happened again at Baptist pond or anywhere else within his jurisdiction.

### Other Animals Abused

Two cases of destitution where farm animals were involved, were also investigated during the past week and orders issued for their relief and proper feeding. In one case Agent Richardson provided funds from his own

pocket to help an unfortunate man who had been in difficulties a little beyond his depth through no actual fault of his own.

In the recent case of the slaughter of Chelmsford farm caudles by boys with a shot gun—one animal being killed outright and four others badly maimed with buckshot—Agent Richardson, accompanied by Chief Vinal, visited the home of each boy concerned in the case of desperadoism, and also was compelled in the course of his official investigation for the Humane society executives, to visit each home where the injured dogs were being given medical treatment and obtain other

information in order to handle the case in the local district court. All of this work is done without extra compensation, simply being in line with the general duties of handling such complaints of injury to dumb animals reported within the confines of the Lowell district of the dumb animal protective forces.

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Included in our stock are such brands as Coty, Roud, D'Arny, Fiver, Remy & Galt, Dier Kien, Houdini, Colgate.

Select packages 75c to \$2.00

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53 CENTRAL STREET  
5th floor Central Block

Over Nelsons 5th and 10th Store

Take elevator to same money

## CHRISTMAS SALE OF LADIES', MISSES' AND JUNIORS' COATS, SUITS, DRESSES and FURS

Right at the threshold of winter you have this wonderful opportunity of selecting a well made garment at a tremendous reduction.

NOTE—Every garment in this sale is perfect. We carry no seconds or job lots. You also have the advantage in this shop of making your selection by daylight, assisted by courteous salesladies. You are invited to visit this shop at any time with no obligation to buy.

Fur Trimmed COATS  
Throw Collar COATS  
Plain Collar COATS  
Smart Sport COATS  
Well Tailored SUITS  
Splendid Cloth DRESSES  
Stylish Silk DRESSES

Values  
to  
\$35.00.  
Choice

\$18.75

Owing to the tremendous reductions it will be necessary for us to make a small charge for alterations. Almost every other garment reduced for this sale from \$5.00 to \$20.00.

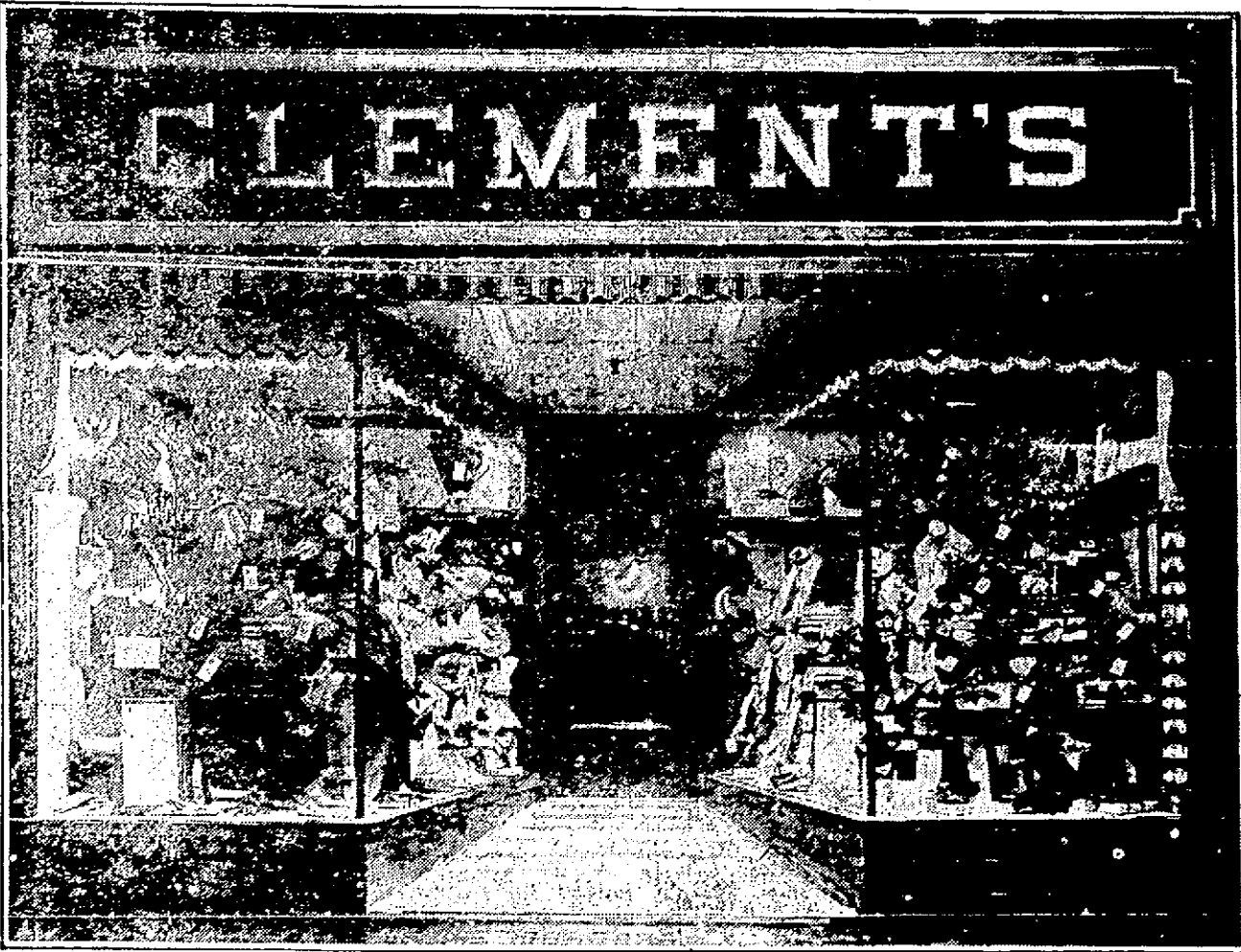
### FUR COATS, AT REDUCED PRICES

When selecting a Fur Coat be sure that you are doing business with a reliable concern. At this shop you are assured of satisfaction.

Headquarters  
For



His Christmas  
Gifts



241 CENTRAL STREET



Plans for the formal opening of the splendid new K. of C. clubhouse have not been completed as yet but it is confidently expected that the occasion will be the most important and noteworthy in the history of Lowell. No date has been settled upon for the opening of the new rooms, this depending upon the final attention to detail by the architect. The council officials are aware of the opportunities in the various avenues of council endeavor. Grand Knight Hart, under whose administration the project was launched and carried to a successful conclusion, stated today that he had appointed a competent committee to arrange for the formal opening and was quite confident that the program of exercises will be commensurate with the high standing of the council in this city.

The committee on the annual Christmas tree exercises has made elaborate plans for this feature, and hope to make it the most pretentious of any yet conducted under K. of C. auspices. The committee will hold a meeting this evening after the regular council session, and some unique plans are expected to be crystallized as a result. The following will have charge of the exercises: John B. Hart, G. K., Charles J. Landers, P. D. G. K., Michael MacInerney, Fred E. Wright, John J. Quinn, Henry F. Doran, Harry King, Joseph D. Quigley, Andrew Molloy, Michael A. Keefe, Roger J. Lung, P. G. K., Thomas J. Fitzgerald, Daniel H. Quinn and Frank J. Finnegan.

### DONCHOEICK HAD NARROW ESCAPE

Peter Donchoeick of Davidson street, who last night drank coffee by mistake at his home and who is confined to St. John's hospital, is reported as being out of danger and it was stated at the hospital that the man may be able to leave the institution in a day or so. It was about 7 o'clock last evening that Donchoeick made the mistake which nearly cost him his life. The ambulance was summoned and the sick man was removed to the hospital, where the stomach pump was pressed into service, with good results.

### MARRIAGE ANNIVERSARY

A large number of friends and relatives gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Arthur last Tuesday evening, the occasion being the 25th anniversary of their marriage. A beautiful supper was served by the genial hostess, Mrs. Arthur, and a general good time was enjoyed. The couple received many beautiful gifts. Mr. Arthur is a popular overseer in the Massachusetts Cotton mills, and is the father of the following three children: Mrs. Frank E. Bowles, Beatrice E. and George E. Arthur.

### Stranded British Steamer Floated

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—The British steamer Manchester Spinner, blown ashore on the westerly side of Long Island Tuesday night, was floated at high tide early today. It was believed that she sustained no serious damage. The tug Juno, operated by the Boston Towboat Co., and one of the fleet sent to assist the Manchester Spinner, was rammed and sunk by the army quartermaster steamer General Thomas S. Jessup, a short distance from the stranded vessel. The tug's crew scrambled to safety over the Jessup's side.



**JOHN J.  
McPadden**  
Asks Your Support  
for Re-election.  
**REWARD  
COMMENDABLE  
PUBLIC  
SERVICE**

A young man, John J. McPadden, entered public life this year and in a few months has proven worthy of the confidence of every citizen of Lowell. He has displayed initiative and an intimate knowledge of city affairs. His vote has always been recorded for constructive and sane legislation. He comes before you with a record as "clean" as a whistle.

**SURELY YOU WILL ENDORSE THE SPLENDID PUBLIC  
SERVICE OF COUNCILOR MCPADDEN**

Next year, the conduct of city affairs will require sound judgment and conservative administration. The ability of Mr. McPadden to meet civic responsibility has been most forcibly demonstrated this year.

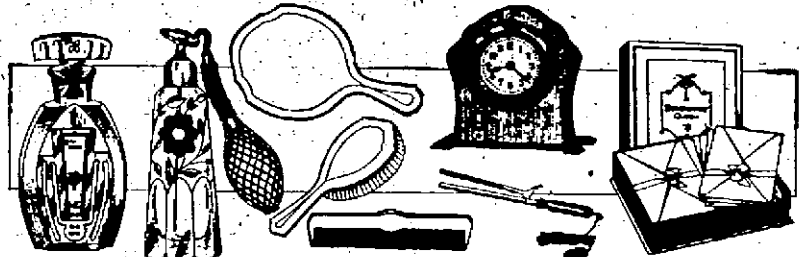
### HE HAS MET THE TEST

If uninfluenced by any other consideration, you pride yourself in rewarding meritorious and capable public conduct, then you know from your own personal observation that JOHN J. MCPADDEN should have your vote next Tuesday.

Adv. Signed, STEPHEN D. BREEN, 56 Crawford Street.

# Liggett's Gifts

IN the Liggett stores you will perhaps find more practical gifts at popular prices, convenient for your selection, than in most any other shop. Here there is less crowding, more prompt service, less delay in waiting for change or to have your package wrapped; more attention to your individual needs.



### Imported and Domestic Perfumes and Toilet Waters

Jocote Sets	\$5.25	Guerlain's L'Huile Bleue	\$10.00	Roger & Gallet's Fleur	\$5.75
Cara Mone Sets	5.50	2 1/2 oz.		2 1/2 oz.	
Vivadois Merveilles	2.00	Guerlain's Goussier, 2 oz.	10.00	Dier Kiss, 1 oz.	1.75
St. Robens Sets	5.00	Houbigant's Ideal, 2 1/2 oz.	6.75	Piver's Florange, 1 1/2 oz.	1.50
Dier Kiss Sets	5.00	Houbigant's Quaiques		Piver's Arcure, 1 1/2 oz.	1.50
Guerlain's Rueda de Paris, 2 1/2 oz.	9.00	Fleurs, 2 oz.	7.50	Rigaud's Mary Garden, 1 oz.	2.00

DEVILISH PERFUMES	Beautiful new designs	Comb, Hair Brush, Mirror	Shoe Hook, Nail File, Nail Buffer and 2 glass lined pomade jars, in lined box	7.50
IVORY TOILET SETS	Comb, Hair Brush and Mirror, in lined box	ELECTRIC CURLING IRONS		3.95



THERMOS BOTTLES, pint size, enamel case	\$ 9.95	EASTMAN KODAKS, a small Brownie as low as	\$ 2.00	TOYS	Chubby Clown, rubber, inflatable, 90c and \$1.39
Various other sizes as well as kits		Waterman Fountain Pens	2.50 up	Painted black kitten stuffed, dressed in vest and boots	2.49
FERROSTAT, the unbreakable Vacuum bottle, pint	\$7.50	EVERSHARP PENCILS, 1.00 up		Rainbow Play Balls, 3 in.	1.25
SAFETY RAZORS		SALT AND PEPPER SHAKERS, silver plated in lined box, per set	1.00	Whaling and Talking Dolls	27 inches high
Gillette	79c to \$3.39	STERNAL OUTFIT		2 1/2 inches high	2.95
Gem and Ever Ready	.89	COMPLETE E. boiler, metal and heated steel from 1.75 to .99		Floating, inflatable rubber fish, frogs, turtles, ducks, etc.	50c to 1.50
Derham Duplex	1.00 and 5.00				
Twinkles Stoppers	3.00				

### 2-DAY SALE OF CIGARETTES

December 15th and 16th—A timely sale, offering an opportunity to buy a really desirable gift for the cigarette smoker

200 Camel	\$1.25	200 Omar	\$1.59	100 Melachino No. 9	\$1.45
200 Lucky Strike (any)	1.25	100 Egyptian Straights	1.05	(2 1/2 in., 50's, 100's)	
200 Sweet Caporal (any)	1.25	100 Helmer (any, 50's, 100's)	1.05	100 Natural	1.45
200 Chesterfield	1.25	100 Turkish Trophies	1.05	100 Pall Mall (any)	2.10
200 Piedmont	1.25	(20's, 50's, 100's)		100 Egyptian Delicias	
200 Black and White	1.25	100 Mural	1.45	No. 3	2.70
180 Lord Salisbury (any)	1.65	100 Mogul	1.45	100 Philip Morris	2.10
200 Fatima	1.50			(Cambridge)	

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67 Merrimack St  
3 Central St

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The Safe Drug Stores

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CHERRY & WEBB CO.

## Cherry & Webb Co.

The Spirit of Christmas is reflected in  
These Values — Offered for FRIDAY and SATURDAY



## Wondrous Winter Coats

\$38—\$58

Lustrosas—Fashionas—Barodas  
Ormondals—Pollyannas—Samaras  
Ververettes and Bolivias

Trimmed With Squirrel, Beaver, Fox, Nutria  
and Caracal

A real fashion exhibit of all that is new and desirable in Coats and Wraps for Winter. Blouse-back and draped front styles that are uncommon and individual and reflect the last word in fashion. You're advised to make your selection in the morning if possible.



Wonder Values of the Season in This Sale of

DRESSES at \$14

These dresses represent part of the largest dress purchase on record in many years. Huge bankrupt stock—Tricofinas, Poirat Twills, Lace, Canton Crepe, Velvets, Broadened Canton and Serges. Made to sell up to \$32.50, at only \$14.00.

DAINTY DRESS SHOP—SECOND FLOOR

### That Huge Purchase of Christmas Hosiery

Is Going Fast!

Heavy Silk, Full Fashioned Silk and Wool, Ribbed and Plain Wool Sport Hose

About 750 Pairs to choose from, at

\$1.00 and \$1.69

JUST WHAT EVERY GIRL  
WANTS

RED "MIDDIES"

Attractively trimmed with black. Sizes 6 to 18. Special \$3.98

GIRLS' SPORT  
SKIRTS

All the latest materials. Sizes 24 to 30 waist band. Special \$3.98

See the Christmas Dolls!  
THIRD FLOOR

SILK COSTUME SLIPS

White and the dark suit \$3.98 shades. Special values.

"MUNSINGWEAR" SILK  
VESTS, white, \$2.95  
flesh and orchid,

MAIN FLOOR

## FURS

The Gift Supreme—The Regal Gift

18 High Class Fur Coats offered for Friday and Saturday at great savings. Again the C. & W. Syndicate secure the plums of a market slump. You benefit!

1 \$135 SEALINE COAT at	\$95
Skunk Collar and Cuffs—	
1 \$175 SEALINE COAT at	\$125
Skunk Collar and Cuffs—	
1 \$135 NATURAL OPOSSUM COAT	\$110
1 \$225 FRENCH SEAL WRAP	\$165
Fitch Collar and Cuffs	
10 40 INCH RACCOON COATS	\$185
2 \$375 HUDSON SEAL COATS	\$295
Squirrel Collar and Cuffs	
1 \$175 SEALINE COATS at	\$125
Mar-Mink Collar and Cuffs	
1 \$195 SEALINE COAT at	\$150
Squirrel Collar and Cuffs	

Our immense stock of Fur Coats and Wraps is all priced about \$25 to \$50 under the market, because of our huge purchasing power.

Splendid Assortment of

FUR CHOKERS and \$5 to \$57  
SCARFS.

### The Newest OVERBLOUSES

Paisley, Crepe de Chine, Canton and Matelasse, trimmed satins. \$5.00

Specially attractive at...

W AISTS—

Hand-made Batiste and Dimities, in clever holly boxes. Special \$1.95

### Special Sale GROWING GIRLS' DRESSES

Tricolines, serges, poret (wills, wool Cantons, Velvet and Crepe Combinations. \$12

Values up to \$18.75.

GIRLS' COATS

Poires, Herringbones and Velours. Many fur trimmed, \$9.95

THIRD FLOOR

### Silk Petticoats

Fine Radiums, Jerseys and Taffetas, in Buff, Grey, Copen, Rose, Navy, Seal Brown and Black. Fancy Flannels. Special—

\$2.95 \$5 \$7.50

SILK SCARFS \$2.95, \$5

In dark and light colors.

## Basement Shop

Wonder Sale of

Dresses

VELOUR, SERGE, JERSEY  
All sizes up to 44. SPECIAL \$5

Coats

Dandy Plaidbacks and Mixtures. Attractive values for Friday and Saturday, at \$10

Flannelette

NIGHT GOWNS

Regular and extra sizes. SPECIAL \$1

SKIRTS, \$5

Velour checks, Prunella stripes, camel's hair colors. Special values.

PETTICOATS

Sateen

Regular and extra sizes at \$1

New Lot—Just in!

House Dresses

Dandy gingham, checks and stripes, \$1 to \$1.98

TEA APRONS

Dainty Gifts

29c to 69c

Beacon Blanket

Bath Robes

\$2.98

Others up to \$12.50

Dresses

Hundreds of handsome dresses—Poret twill, serge and velvets. SPECIAL Friday and Saturday \$10

## SEALED VERDICT IN CONTRACT CASE

A sealed verdict in the sum of \$328.09 was returned this morning at the civil session of the superior court in the case of George W. Morrison of this city vs. the F. A. Dutton Motor Co. of Somerville, an action of contract by which the plaintiff sought to recover a commission for the sale of an Auburn car to a Lowell resident. In this case the defendant company claimed that the sale was made to a resident of Revere and therefore the agent of that district for that particular car was entitled to the commission. The case of Andrew Jones against the F. F. Butler Co-operative bank, an action of contract in the sum of \$3,000, which went to trial yesterday, was resumed this morning. In this case the plaintiff seeks to recover damages for the failure of the bank to carry out its part of an agreement by which it was to loan money to the

plaintiff for the purchase of material in the erection of a dwelling house.

## SOCIAL AND DANCE

The M. D. M. club held a very pleasing social and dance in Odd Fellows hall, Tuesday evening. Potted plants and holly were artistically arranged about the hall in keeping with the coming season. Mr. "Jack" Donovan, candidate for mayor, gave a brief but interesting talk. Refreshments were served by the members of the club. The officers in charge were: General manager, Emma McDermott; floor director, Helen Holden; chief aid, J. Marley; aids, J. Manning, J. Quinn, M. McCafferty, May Minahan, Sadie Liggett, J. Doyle and Lillian Moran.

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## Industrial Code Aimed at Settlement of Disputes

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The World War at the International aircraft conference.

Governor Hartness said that conditions seemed to warrant "some central equalizing board that will function in the interest of labor, capital and the public." He said that government regulation had not been satisfactory because it had run contrary to natural law and had been of a restrictive nature, and that unfair practices still existed which if not eliminated as much as possible by orderly methods would result in further political and social unrest.

"We must come to recognize," he said, "that while it is highly desirable to obtain to the largest possible extent the private enterprise and initiative we must adopt a code of rules under which this enterprise must function."

"The problem of what is just and fair pay is to be solved by arbitra-

## STAKE OF MILLIONS IN THIS GIRL'S HANDS

Although Miss Carmel Hallmeyer is an exceedingly handsome young woman, it wasn't because of her good looks that the members of the Burley Tobacco Growers association engaged her to look after the legal interests of their organization.



MISS CARMEL HALLMEYER

attainments and brilliant record were the considerations which dictated the association's choice.

These tobacco growers, it should be explained, have a co-operative society which owns real estate alone worth \$6,000,000, and its numerous and varied financial responsibilities represent sums vastly in excess even of its amount.

## Her Problems Involved

So, when a vacancy occurred at the head of the Burley Tobacco Growers association's legal department, it behooved the management to fill it only after the most thorough investigation into the qualifications of the individual of its choice.

Miss Hallmeyer got the post. She is a Californian, who, for several years, has been conducting the legal affairs of several of the huge marketing associations of that state. Specialization in this class of work fitted her admirably for just the position at the tobacco growers' disposal.

This explains the transfer of her field of activities from the golden west to Lexington, Ky., where the tobacco men's legal department maintains its headquarters.

Like Gaiety, Ton

The oldest of a family of eight children, Miss Hallmeyer early shared with her elders the tasks of making a home and caring for those younger than herself, yet found time to equip herself for the brilliant legal career upon which she is now so well embarked.

A breezy young person of the western type, she likes to dance and says the utmost varieties of dapperism do not disconcert her in the least, and yet there are few men as well qualified as she to argue knotty questions before the grave judges of a supreme court or to weigh the probabilities of legal decisions.

It is the right solution of which sums of money running into the millions may depend.

tion based on a code that fits economic laws. It is necessary to devise a basis for an economically sound compensation for labor and capital which stimulates industry. We must see that not only the worker but the capitalist as well, uses his energy in a way beneficial to the public interest.

"Even more serious than the strike, is the existence of serious inequalities and of false leadership in the future upon which the industrial code will depend. Back of all harmful causes we find a lack of knowledge of the fundamental principles on which our economic and general welfare depends."

Governor Hartness said that the standing of the nation ultimately would depend upon the adoption of a successful industrial code.

"Some one nation will go ahead and that nation will be the one that makes the best use of its energies. To that nation other nations will pay tribute in the market where the products are exchanged. That nation, with hostile purposes could subjugate all others."

To Discuss Klan

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, W. Va., Dec. 14.—Numerous questions of national and state importance were listed for discussion at the opening session today of the 14th annual conference of governors.

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of the Ku Klux Klan formed one of the questions for discussion on the official program, while Governor Parker of Louisiana had announced that he intended to inject into the conference also the question of prohibition enforcement.

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## You Wouldn't Knowingly Take Poison

Yet headaches, dizzy spells, indigestion and insomnia are usually only Nature's warning that you're constantly absorbing into your system poisons that should be eliminated by liver, kidneys, and bowels.

In SANALT the Sensible Tonic, you have a simple, harmless way of ridding yourself of these poisons, cleansing, and purifying your blood, stimulating secretive and excretive organs to normal action and regaining your "pep" and the joy and bloom of health.

In the more than 100 years that have passed since an old New England doctor originated the formula for this simple rebuilding tonic, SANALT has helped thousands of people just as it has helped Mrs. Carl Adams, of 456 Main St., Gardner, Mass. Here is her letter:

"I had been suffering terribly from nervousness for more than eight months. It was caused by bad condition of my stomach, which came so gradually that almost before I realized it I was suffering from intense headaches and spells of dizziness that were simply terrible. My kidneys and liver were both badly affected and I suffered intensely from backache. I have not yet finished my first bottle of Sanalt, but it has wonderfully improved my condition. The nervousness has almost gone, my stomach has been greatly helped, kidneys and liver are acting much better, and already I am convinced that Sanalt is true to name as 'Sanalt the Sensible Tonic.' I purchased Sanalt through the recommendation of Druggist Leathe, of Gardner, who said that if I was not satisfied with results he would return my money."

SANALT is safe for anyone to take. Contains no opiates, narcotics, or other harmful drugs. Like all the other famous Winsol remedies it can be bought at any drug store, for Winsol preparations are one line of trade-marked proprietary medicines sold by both Winsol Agents and non-agent druggists. No need to accept substitutes. If your druggist doesn't carry SANALT he can get it for you through his jobber.

NEUROPATHIC DROPS, the great emergency medicine, and CERIZANE BALSAM, for coughs, are two Winsol remedies that should be kept in every home. Ask your druggist about them.

B. O. & G. C. WILSON, Inc., BOSTON, MASS.

B. O. & G. C. Wilson, Inc., established in 1845, is conducted on a unique profit-sharing plan which benefits everybody concerned—the Winsol Agent, all non-agent druggists, every Winsol employee and the general public. The Winsol Plan—the last word in co-operation—is responsible for the rapid growth of the Winsol business to a position as one of the largest and most successful drug specialty houses in the country today.

## Purchase of New Equipment Boston & Maine Railroad

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passenger cars, 20 steel smoking cars, eight steel smoking and baggage cars, five steel mail and baggage cars and 25 milk cars.

The purchase of this large amount of equipment at this time is due almost directly, it is said, to shortage of rolling stock, car shops, truck troubles and other rail difficulties.

Arrangements have been made for the purchase of new rail equipment under what is known as "the Philadelphia plan." This has been tried many times elsewhere, but for the first time in the New England territory. The purchase is being carried out by means of a bond issue under an "equipment plan."

Under the plan, a Boston national bank has been named as trustee and equipment has been placed in the hands of two doctored Pullmans that left the through banking house and railroad from funds which it had on hand.

The bonds are redeemable in 15 annual installments, beginning on Aug. 1, 1923, and continuing until 1937, at 5 per cent, and 6 per cent, in semi-annual distributions.

In purchasing the new equipment, the purchase materials and "leased" to the Boston bank as trustee.

The Billerica Visit

The three-day tour by the New England legislators and business men will end tonight, the Billerica carshops being the last stop on the homeward journey to Boston. The special train of two doctored Pullmans that left the North station, Boston, two days ago, was timed to arrive at North Billerica at 12:45 p. m. this afternoon and placed on a siding. The visitors here showed up on the train and enjoyed dinner before visiting the carshops.

The time schedule called for a return to the Pullmans at 2:15 p. m. and engineer had orders to proceed to Boston.

All of those scheduled to start in the first leg of the swing around the Boston & Maine lines and toward New York and Albany, and all others in New England, under one supervisory control, has come up again with a vengeance after being laid upon the shelf some time ago. Today's trip to Billerica and the visit yesterday to other important places on the railroad lines from Boston to Troy, may bear considerable fruit when the opportune time comes for the big merger that is so confidently predicted in some railroad quarters as surely coming.

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Arnold Johnson and His Orchestra	You Remind Me of My Mother—Fox Trot When the Leaves Come Tumbling Down—Fox Trot	2339	.75
OPERATIC			
Florence Easton (Soprano)	Mignon—Connais-tu le pays? (Knowest Thou the Land?) Act I. (Thomas) in French Faust—Le Roi de Thule (Ballad of the King of Thule) Act III. (Gounod) in French	15030	1.50
SONGS—CONCERT AND BALLAD			
Maria Chamlee (Tenor)	Alba Separa Dalla Luce L'Amara (Day Banishes the Night.) (D'Annunzio-Tosti.) In Italian Private Hitherto (Home Coming.) (Barthelemy.) In Italian	50020	2.00
Maria Tiffany (Soprano)	Kashmir Song (Hope—Woodford-Flinden) Temple Bells (Hope—Woodford-Flinden)	130057	1.25
Thos. Kurie (Tenor)	Stabat Mater—Colum animum. (Through His Bleeding Side.) (Rossini.) (In Latin) Requiem Mass in G Minor—Mozart. (Sadly Groaning.) (Verdi.) (In Latin)	35002	1.75
INSTRUMENTAL			
New York String Quartet	Quartet in F Major—Lento. (Dvorak.) String Quartet Quartet in F Major—Scherzo (Dvorak.) String Quartet	25015	1.50
Bronislaw Huberman (Violinist)	Ballade (Vieuxtemps.) Piano for Paul Frenkel. Polonaise (Vieuxtemps.) Piano for Paul Frenkel	50019	2.00
Vassilika Hallan Band	Semiramide Overture—Part 1. (Rossini.) Concert Band Semiramide Overture—Part 2. (Rossini.) Concert Band	25014	1.50
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Marion Harris (Singing Comedienne)	Aggravatin' Papa Hot Lips	2345	.75
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Nina Koshetz (Soprano)	Eastern Romance (Rimsky-Korsakov.) In Russian Humoresque (Moussorgsky.) In Russian	15031	1.50
Ukrainian National Chorus	Over the Vost Plains (Stetzenko.) Mixed chorus. In Ukrainian Our Lady of Potehale (Leontovich.) In Ukrainian	15032	1.50
Ukrainian National Chorus	Hey! Near Buryshpol (Koshetz.) In Ukrainian The High Mountain. (Lysenko.) In Ukrainian	15033	1.50
Ukrainian National Chorus	Poor Haidymen (Koshetz.) In Ukrainian (a) Shchedryk (b) Koza (Leontovich.) In Ukrainian	15034	1.50
Ukrainian National Chorus	(a) Cuckoo, Grey Cuckoo. (Stetzenko.) In Ukrainian (b) Polonyska. (Kolesa.) In Ukrainian	15035	1.50

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## SEEK TO CAUSE WAR TO STIMULATE ARMS SALE

RIO JANERO, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) An international band is seeking to cause war between South American nations as a stimulant to armament sales. A statement today by the chief of police of Rio Janiero, the official declared his office had investigated rumors of such a band and had found it to exist.

The statement declared the band merited "the immediate attention of the public powers."

It is said that members of the band are now working in Buenos Aires.

## FRATERNAL NEWS

At a recent meeting of Chevalier Temple, Pythian Sisters the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Sister Bachelder, M.E.C., Sister Arnold, E. S., Sister Jelly, E. J., Sister Stanhope, manager; Sister Barnes, M. of R. and S., Sister Dixon, M. of F., Sister Scott, protector; Sister Everett, guard; Sister Porter, pianist; Sister Anderson, press correspondent; Sister Ian Johnson, trustee, and Sister Jeanette Johnson, mistress of degree.

### Camp 4, Uniform Rank

The annual election of officers for Camp 4, Uniform Rank, I.O.O.F., M.U., was held at a recent meeting of the organization and resulted as follows: Edward I. Colby, captain; Harry Stack,

## BIRDS OF A FEATHER FLOCK TOGETHER



first lieutenant; William DeLong, second lieutenant; Peter Rancourt, first sergeant; William Pomeroy, chaplain; Harry Short, quartermaster sergeant; Raymond E. Finch, clerk; Raymond E. Finch, Harry Short and Philip B. Redden, entertainment committee.

### Div. 11, A.O.H.

The result of the election of officers for Div. 11, A.O.H., which was held recently was as follows: James J. McMahon, president; Patrick Finnich, vice-president; William Nelson, financial secretary; John Mealey, recording secretary; John H. Hickey, treasurer; Dennis Dyer, sergeant-at-arms; Frank McCarthy, sentinel; John McQueeney, Patrick Frawley, Michael Bruhl, Patrick Hickey and John Tally, standing committee.

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## AMUSEMENT NOTES

### B. F. KEITH'S THEATRE

The deft touches which characterize "Rice and Old Shoes" at the B. F. Keith's theatre, this week, are numerous. And none of them is more to the point than the start of the honeymoon on a motor cycle. Harry J. Conley and Naomi Day play the sketch. Another specially good turn is that of Sam Adams and J. P. Griffith, called "The Music Lesson." It holds both good music and sinning in comedy. The dancing demonstration of Misses Higgins and Bates is one of the best ever seen in a local theatre. It is a real program of dances in dissimilar styles. The remainder of the bill is of luncheon quality. William Ebs furnishes a true surprise, and will romance. Brown & Powell are makers of pictures in sand and Walter Sayton and partner have a good equilibristic novelty.

### REALTY THEATRE

Rex Beach's well known production, "The Iron Trail," and Florence Vidor

in the startling drama, "Woman Wake Up," are drawing to a close at the local theatre after a successful run of two days. On the same program is a Harold Lloyd comedy, "Café Society," also "The Perils of the Yukon," and the Italian News Review.

### THE STRAND

If you were ever troubled by a chiding conscience you will appreciate the situation in "Shadows of Conscience." Dr. Howard always recommended

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science," the big Russell production to be shown at the Strand for the remainder of the week. The first performance will be given at today's matinee. A man carries the burden of having accused another of his own crime through many years and discovers at the end of the period that he himself, is the greater sufferer—and not the man who was wronged.

In her latest picture production, "Divorce Coupons," Corinne Griffith strengthens her reputation as the "best dressed woman on the screen." Never before has she worn such a dazzling array of creations. But, apart from this interesting phase of the production, the story itself and the dramatic work of the star and those assisting is notable. It's a society drama, and it's the kind that has all of the interesting developments that are generally found in a high grade and entertaining film creation. The rest of the bill is of like standard.

## LOWELL ART ASSOCIATION

The Lowell Art Association opened its season at the Whistler house last evening with a private view of paintings and drawings of Italy by George L. Noyes and an illustrated talk on historic ruins of Greece and Sicily by Rev. A. C. McIlbert. An informal reception to Mr. Noyes followed. The collection, particularly many pencil drawings, is an interesting one and will be open to the public daily, except Sundays, until further notice.

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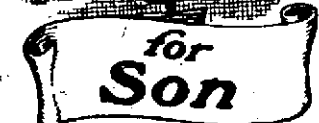
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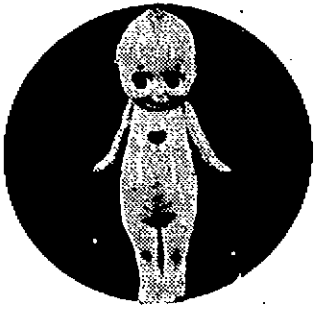
# Toyland's Going To Have a Real Merry Christmas If You'll Only Heed Its Wishes



Sombody once said that "every dog will have his day." I would consider that mine had come if, on Christmas morning, I can realize this wish: that my owner will not pluck my button eyes out; that my ears will not be pulled; that my sides will be squeezed so I can speak now and then, and that I will not be thrown haphazard around the floor. Give me half a chance and I'll show my puppy love.



Everybody ought to know that a Teddy Bear likes to cuddle. Well, then, you can't blame me for wishing that Santa Claus will stick me snugly in a little stocking that belongs to a tiny baby. For I feel sure that this baby will hold me tight in its arms during the day, and nestle me under the covers at night. And for my part, I'll put my arms as far around the little one as they will reach.



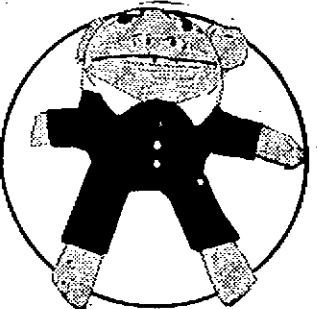
You just can't imagine how often I have wondered why I never was given any clothes. Why, really I am almost ashamed to appear in the store window. Maybe that's why my one and only Christmas wish is that I will be left to a little girl who has doll fingers which will make me pretty whateamacallens, fancy dresses, Russian boots, shiny silk stockings, and a large moving picture hat.



As they lay me down on the store shelf, my eyes fall closed, and in doll slumberland I dream that two little arms pick me up and cuddle me—that soft dainty fingers run through my hair—that wee little blue eyes look at me lovingly—that at all times I am treated fine. And now, all I want for Christmas is to be taken to a home where my dream will come true.



All monkey-business aside, I have one very serious wish for Christmas Day. First of all, I want to settle down in a home where there is plenty of music. I simply love to grab hold of the leg of a graphophone or a piano. It's so true to life for me—it would take me back to my organ-grinder days. And, last of all, I want to be given to a child who will not yank my tail out.



Ever since my fungus fell I have been all broken up over everything. What good on earth is a shattered Humpty Dumpty. I have constantly wondered, And now comes my day! If Christmas morn finds me in a home where I can amuse the little folks, I will feel that their shouts of glee have done what "all the king's horses and all the king's men" failed to do—put me together again.

## RUM-LADEN SCHOONER "WHITE MAN'S JUSTICE" ADRIFT OFF COAST

NANTUCKET, Dec. 13.—A rum-laden schooner, carrying 2000 cases of liquor, was adrift off this island today with only two men aboard, pursued by the coast guard cutter Acushnet. The schooner, of foreign registry and manned by a crew who speak no English, was said to be the Silver Piece, which left Antwerp on Oct. 13. Cuba was the destination given.

## "WHITE MAN'S JUSTICE"

OTTAWA, Dec. 13.—An unusual story of the administration of "White man's Justice" by a sergeant in the Royal Canadian Mounted Police, in the frozen fastness of Cape Crowford, at the extreme northwestern corner of Baffin land, was unfolded today.

A number of weeks ago, Robert James, a white trader, was murdered and Sergeant Joy blossomed out as a coroner and held an autopsy, then an inquest. Then he became a magistrate and issued three warrants for natives. Next he became a trooper and served the papers. Again he be-

## EXPLOSION DEATH TOLL MAY EXCEED 30

HAVANA, Dec. 13 (by the Associated Press).—Deaths from the boiler explosion which wrecked the Estrella sugar central at Céspedes, Camaguey province, yesterday, may exceed 30, according to press reports received here today from Camaguey and Céspedes and official reports to the department of government.

## BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT WIRE DESPATCHES

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—After waiting more than an hour for William F. McFee and Edward M. Fuller, bankrupt stock brokers, to appear before him for trial, General Sessions Judge Johnstone today declared the \$25,000 bail of each forfeited and issued bench warrants for their arrest. Both men are under indictment for buckkling.

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—The full bench of the supreme court will be asked to decide whether the time served on call duty by a man who later becomes a permanent fireman is included in the 35-year limit prescribed in the statute entitling firemen to be retired and pensioned at their own request.

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—Deaths of persons through automobile accidents in November dropped to 42 as against a total of 56 in November, 1921. Registrar Frank A. Goodwin announced today.

HAVERTHILL, Dec. 13.—The machine operators of the Shoe Workers' Protective union voted today in favor of granting to factories of the Haverhill Shoe Manufacturers' association a continuance of the peace and conditions prevailing under the present working agreement until July 1, 1923.

LAWRENCE, Dec. 13.—Americo Del Gaudio, 19, committed suicide early this afternoon by shooting. He had quarreled with his parents, the police say.

ROME, Dec. 13.—(By the Associated Press) Six of the eight newly created cardinals today received from Pope Pius the symbols of their office, in the form of the red hat, or berretta, and the elaborate surplice called the rochet.

LONDON, Dec. 13.—(By the Associated Press) Prime Minister Bonar Law told the house of commons today that Great Britain regarded with grave disappointment the continued delay in ratification of the Washington naval treaty by France and Italy.

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—A record bill of dear during the open season last week was reported today. The number known to have been shot with returns still incomplete, was 1250. The previous high mark was 1230.

NEW YORK, Dec. 13.—Announcement that Archbishop Pierre Pina-soli-Bonelli, former apostolic delegate to Japan, would be appointed apostolic delegate to the United States, to succeed Archbishop Giovanni Bon-zano, recently elevated to the cardinalate, was contained today in a cable-gram from Edward L. Heurn, Knights of Columbus centralist in Rome, to the organizations offices here.

## STOCK DIVIDEND OF 1400 P. C. DECLARED

WHITINSVILLE, Dec. 13.—A stock dividend of 1400 per cent was declared today by the Whitin Machine Works, which increases its authorized capitalization from \$500,000 to \$5,000,000.

The concern, probably the largest of its kind in the country and employing several thousand persons, manufactures cotton, woolen and worsted machinery.

It is a Massachusetts corporation and its officers include Chester W. Lavelle, president, and E. Kent Swift, treasurer and manager. Josiah M. Lavelle, Sidney E. Mason and Lawrence M. Keeler comprise the board of directors.

## CONSOLIDATION OF WAR AND NAVY DEPTS.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 13.—Consolidation of the war and navy departments into a department of national defense, designed to function under a cabinet member with assistants in charge of the army and navy respectively, has been definitely recommended to President Harding by Walter F. Brown, head of the commission appointed to prepare a plan of governmental reorganization.

The president is giving serious consideration to this and other recommendations submitted by Mr. Brown, and may lay them before congress within a week or two, accompanied by a special message expressing the opinion of the administration on each of the changes suggested.



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The device has been demonstrated with great success and is being manufactured now for use in churches, concert halls and motion picture theatres.

PRINTED SILKS  
Frocks for spring show a leaning toward printed silks with all-over or border designs, with Oriental patterns or the more delicate Pompadour or floral figures.

## Turkey Looks to U. S. for Guidance

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 13.—Charles R. Crane, former United States minister to China, was received in audience by the caliph yesterday. Abdul Medjid said that Turkey looked instinctively to the United States for friendly guidance and commercial support, and asserted that America's participation in the lausanne conference was a good augury for peace.

## Curtail Hours of Greetings to New Year


BOSTON, Dec. 13.—Greetings to the New Year extended in Boston hotels this year may extend only from midnight until 2:30 a. m., according to a police edict, made public today by Police Commissioner Herbert A. Wilson. The order, it was said, resulted from an agreement reached between the licensing board and the hotel men's association.

## Drought Menaces Hard Coal Output

MOUNT CARMEL, Pa., Dec. 13.—Drought conditions in the anthracite region threaten seriously to curtail the hard coal output. Little rain has fallen for six months. One colliery has suspended operations because of the scarcity of water and it is feared others will have to do so unless there is rain or snow soon.

## Took 53 Days to Make Three Day Voyage

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—The veteran coasting schooner A. & W. Ogilvie blew into Boston harbor yesterday from Parrsboro, N. S., 53 days out on a voyage frequently made with a fair wind in between two and three days. She brought a cargo of 183,000 feet of lumber.



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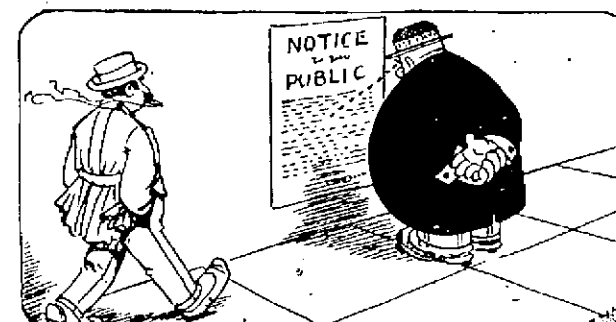
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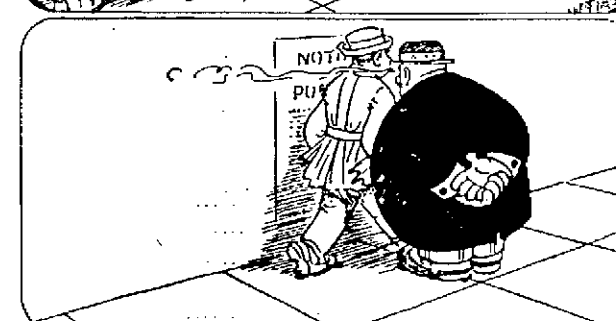
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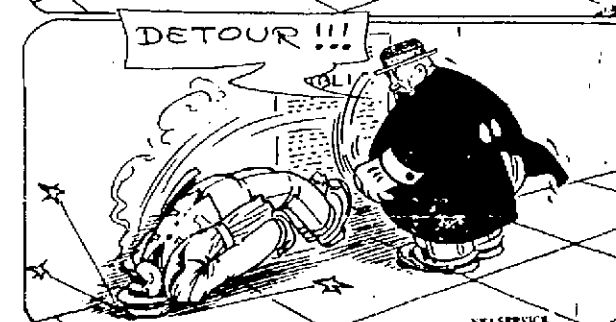
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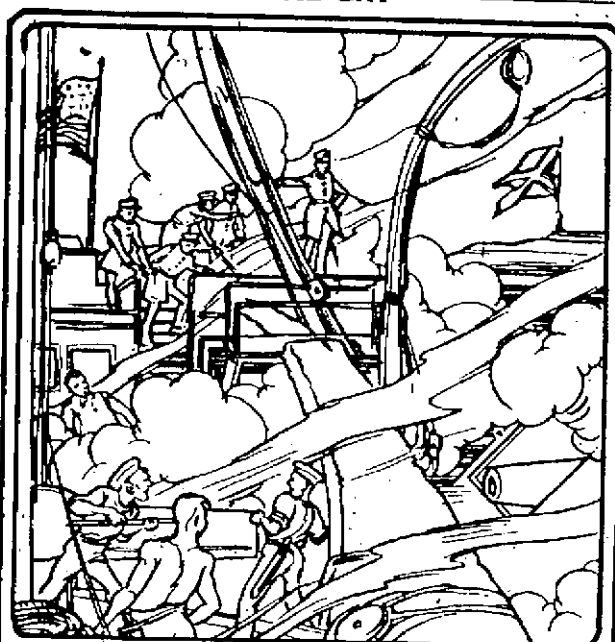
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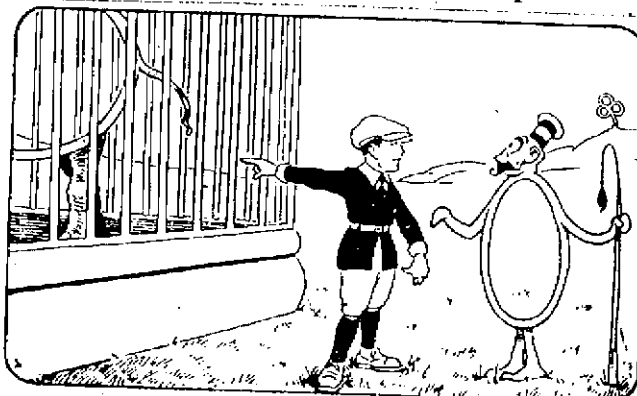
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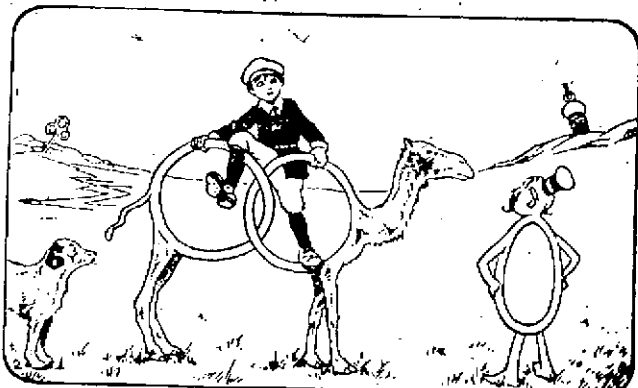
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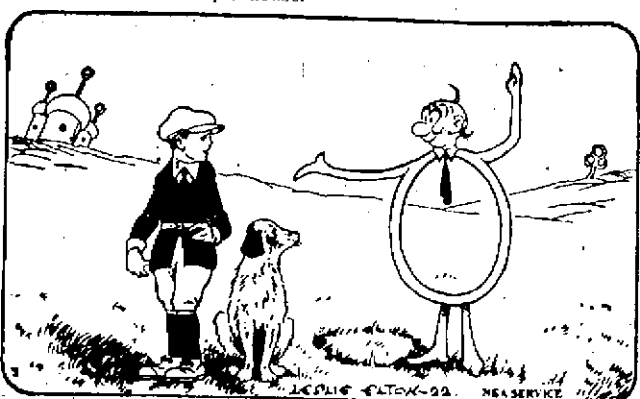
## Jack Daw in Hoopland! Chapter 16



Suddenly the elephant grabbed one of them and tossed him into the air. The little hoop landed on the floor of the cage and bounced right up on his feet again. "Why, they don't seem to mind being thrown around," said Jack. "No," replied the trainer, "they never mind what happens."



"You see," he continued, "that's because they are the little Don't-Give-a-Hoops, and nothing ever bothers them." Then Jack saw the Hoopland camel coming down the road. He was told to climb on its back so he could rest up and ride back to the Honorable Heeza Hoop's house.



Unlike all the other hoops in the land, the camel traveled on foot instead of rolling along. This was because he was made of two hoops instead of one, and he never could keep the two rolling together. "And now," said Heeza Hoop, when they arrived, "you must prepare to leave." (Continued.)

## TRAINS TO AND FROM BOSTON

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LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

### Cases Delayed on Account of Local Officers Going to Cambridge

The machinery of the local court was thrown out of gear a bit owing to the fact that many members of the liquor squad were called to Cambridge. Liquor cases brought up in superior court. With the exception of one or two cases the court last for today was taken up by liquor cases. Accordingly all of them were put over until some other day. Most of the defendants were not present. The following cases were continued: Peter Abucovici for keeping and nuisance, to December 22; Nicholas Zaharlas, keeping, December 21; Omond L. Field, sale and keeping, December 23.

A man appeared and pleaded guilty to the robbery of money from pay checks in his fellow employees in a

certain mill. According to what was told the court this man was entrusted by the paymaster with several envelopes belonging to different persons. When five of the men whom he paid out of their pockets were arrested, he was found with \$25 missing. The man said this morning that he was willing to pay back the money and left \$25 with the clerk. The court said that on account of the fact that a civil settlement had been made a few days ago, the man was released. George R. Collins pleaded guilty to drunkenness. He was held in \$200 until tomorrow so that the police may have time to investigate the conditions of the case. Richard Taff, charged with

larceny had his case continued to December 21. In continuing the case the court said that it would absolutely have to go to trial on the day in question as it had been postponed so many times in the past.

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When the payroll from the law department was received by the city auditor on Tuesday of this week

The first notice relative to Mr. Ry's pay received by the city at from the civil service commission, leased it only to Nov. 22, but subsequently an extension was granted to Dec. 1. Beyond that date, no authorization has been received, how and the budget commission refuse approve it under the existing conditions.

held at the meeting was not material, but it is surmised that the position of a demand for a 29 per cent increase in wages in the cotton industry was discussed. This matter, it is believed will be finally threshed out at a meeting of the New England Conference board of the U.T.W., which will be held in Manchester Sunday afternoon.

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W. T. SHEPARD and J. HENRY GLAUDE, Attorneys.

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arrangements for the concert and dinner which is to be held on Saturday evening, Dec. 16, at Odd Fellows building street. The concert will commence at 7.15 o'clock after which refreshments will be served when general dancing will commence to the strains of the band and Gray's orchestra. The committee is also making great arrangements for the community carol to be held on Christmas eve at the hall.

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Decline, However, to Establish a National Home For Armenians

LAUSANNE, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Turkey will join the League of Nations as soon as peace is signed at Lausanne, Ismet Pasha announced at the Near East conference today. As the league exercises general supervision over minority populations, Ismet's announcement was interpreted as meaning that Turkey will accept the league's supervision over the Christian peoples of Turkey.

Ismet said Turkey was ready to accord the same treatment to minorities as provided in the treaties exchanged between the various European countries. This, Ismet declared, was not because of the menacing words of Lord Curzon, the British foreign secretary as voiced yesterday but because of the Turkish national pact required if. The Turkish delegate said Turkey accepted the granting of general amnesty to political prisoners. She would decline, however, to establish a national home for the Armenians and exempt members of the minorities from military service.

In replying to Ismet Pasha, Marquis Curzon said he was happy to note that the Turkish delegation had changed its tone and had reached an understanding of the great importance of the minorities question.

He thought Ismet's most important announcement was the decision of Turkey to enter the League of Nations after the signature of peace, which Lord Curzon hoped would be an accomplished fact in about a month. He believed Turkey's decision would facilitate solution of many of the problems before the conference.

The British spokesman emphasized that the clauses in the European treaties mentioned by Ismet stipulated supervision on the minority populations by the League of Nations, and said he was happy to see that Turkey was accepting control by the league. She could count upon the adequate support and guarantees which the league provided.

Lord Curzon assured the Turks that they need not entertain any fears of the League of Nations infringing the rights of their country. Turkey could always speak out freely as a member of the league.

M. Barraro and Marquis di Geronzi, heads of the French and Italian delegations, also voiced their pleasure at the Turkish attitude adopted by the Turks and said this justified optimism in the outcome of the conference.

**HEADS SWISS CONFEDERATION**  
BERNE, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Karl Schenk, vice president of the Swiss confederation during the last year, was elected president for 1923 today. He received 156 votes out of the 210 in the federal assembly.

Ernst Chaudard of Lausanne, a federal councillor, was elected vice president, receiving 151 votes. The assembly also chose next year's federal council.

**STOCK MARKET CLOSES**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Announcement was made today that the New York stock exchange would be closed all day on Saturday, Dec. 23.

### APPROACH OF CHRISTMAS BRINGS PEACE TALK IN IRELAND

All Sinn Fein Clubs in Dublin City and County Summoned to Conference to Discuss Peace—Rank and File of Republican Party Willing to Treat For Peace—Free State Committee Working for Cessation of Hostilities

DUBLIN, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Talk of peace between the factions in Ireland, is increasingly heard as Christmas time approaches. Action taken by the new senate of the Free State Tuesday in appointing a committee to work for the immediate cessation of hostilities had developed some indications that a considerable section of the republican party is willing to treat for peace and that the rank and file is moving in that direction.

The summoning of all the Sinn Fein clubs in Dublin city and county to debate the question, was pointed to as significant. Although the clubs are composed of both treaty supporters and republicans, it was the republicans who sent out the press notifications for Sunday's meeting.

The unwillingness of the irregulars to surrender, their arms may prove an obstacle to peace.

It is pointed out that peace between the British and the Irish was delayed by the same difficulty and was only obtained when the British waived their demand for the surrender of arms.

Resolutions of public bodies in favor of peace are increasing as indications that public feeling is tending to favor conciliation between the two parties. In this state of affairs a peace committee hopes to intervene by establishing relations by men in touch with the heads of irregulars. There is no indication, however, that the Free State government will consent to permit the existence of any armed force in Ireland except the national troops.

### PURCHASE OF NEW EQUIPMENT BY BOSTON & MAINE RAILROAD

Billerica Car Shops Visited This Afternoon by Prominent Men From Various States—Intensive Study of Physical and Financial Condition of Railroad Property

With the appearance early this afternoon at the Billerica car shops of a committee of prominent men representing five New England states, accompanied by a number of railroad executive officials, on the last leg of a three-day Pullman train tour of the Boston & Maine railroad line in the several states, came an announcement that the railroad corporation has just completed plans for the purchase of a large amount of new equipment, including engines and steel cars.

The amount named in a statement just issued from Boston headquarters is unusually large for a B. & M. purchase in "jump" form, and railroad men who heard the news this morning and who have been sympathizing with the carshop workers who went on strike to the detriment of a great deal of rail equipment, as all investigators know, declare that the railroad is now forced to purchase new equipment at this time, not because of any mighty increase in business, but because of the extreme shortage of old equipment and the railroad's inability to get prompt repairs done upon thousands of freight and passenger cars and locomotives in order to meet the demands of the new business era now growing larger in size and volume.

It was announced today that the Boston & Maine's new equipment purchase includes 22 switching engines, two Mallet switching engines, 65 steel

**Tilden Has Another Operation on Finger**  
PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 14.—William T. Tilden, national tennis champion, had another inch removed from the middle finger of his right hand yesterday, it became known today. This second operation brings the champion's finger down to just above the second joint. The finger became infected first from a scratch.

**Doctors Write Prescriptions For Coal**  
LAWRENCE, Dec. 14.—Lawrence doctors have taken to writing prescriptions that can't be filled in drug stores. A local coal dealer said today that within two weeks he has received a dozen prescriptions, each calling for half a ton of coal. Each was written on a regular prescription blank, and was signed by a local doctor. Such orders are given a preference over all others, the dealer said.

### ATTEMPT TO KILL BRITISH OFFICIAL

Poisoned Chocolates Sent Through Mail to Home Secretary Bridgeman

Police Find That Candy Contained Arsenic — Unbalanced Woman Blamed

LONDON, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—An attempt has been made to assassinate Home Secretary W. C. Bridgeman by means of poisoned chocolates sent through the mail. The candy arrived at the home office yesterday and the police found it contained arsenic.

It was understood the police attribute the act to the same person who recently poisoned Sir William Harwood, head of Scotland Yard, in the same manner.

Investigations, it was said today, continued to Page Sixteen

### IMPEACHMENT PROCEEDINGS

Atty. Richberg, Counsel for R. R. Workers in Strike Injunction, Called To Testify at Hearing on Charges Against Atty. Gen. Daugherty

WASHINGTON, Dec. 14.—Witnesses summoned to appear today before the house judiciary committee in its impeachment proceedings.

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### ST. RAILWAY PREPARES FOR SNOW STORM

Signals went up at 2 o'clock this afternoon for the clearing of the big new snowplows and sweepers down at the Middlesex street railway car barns. For at that time the latest No. 2 south-east storm, that started early this morning, only to quit early, then flizze along until about 11 o'clock with nothing noticeable in the air, until five minutes later the white flakes began to thicken up, was showing signs of strenuous vigor and surplus energy.

Dinner time came, with the flakes coming shantily down from the east quarter, and at 1 o'clock a good-sized snowstorm was in sight. At 2 the storm was thickening fast and the wind increasing. The tracks were beginning to disappear except where cap wheels cut through the white layers. Orders went out for a few single sweepers to hit all the regular rails, and if the storm increases, more sweepers will be out. For the present there is no call for any "sheers" for drift snow or blockades.

Around 3 o'clock and afterward, the storm appeared to grow more severe, with the wind coming fairly strong from the southeast and no deviation from that quarter.

The weather bureau sounds a warning for plenty of rain or snow tonight and also tomorrow, with winds increasing by tonight. The weather was considerably warmer than yesterday, but Saturday is expected to bring about the coldest day of the week, and this cold wave is likely to stretch over Sunday into the following day, with no more storms in sight so far as the weather map shows this noon.

There were two disturbances in the weather-reckoning areas today. One of them was plunging away in the St. Lawrence valley, but failed to hit New England sides to any extent. The sturdy one that arrived at 11 o'clock this morning, was right on schedule, having come from the far west areas and moved rapidly eastward. It was attended by general precipitation everywhere.

Extra car service will be the rule again tonight, with every regular and spare railway employee working and all cars fit to run out on the iron roads. The superintendent has arranged to keep all lines open with 100 "extras" on call and more to be had if wanted. Every spare car equipment owned by the local division is ready for service tonight if demanded, but the railway men believe the single-trucks and brushes will be enough for the present.

## Lowell to Greet Gen. John J. Pershing at Chamber of Commerce Dinner at Auditorium Tonight

### "APPRECIATION DINNER" ORDER OF EXERCISES

6 P. M.—Music by Clan MacPherson Bagpipe Band.  
6.15—Appreciation Dinner—  
1—Invocation by Rev. Percy E. Thomas.  
2—Music by College City Four.  
3—Singing under direction of Albert Edmund Brown.  
4—Presentation of resolutions of appreciation of the work of the Lowell Board of Trade Auditorium committee and the Auditorium Building Commission by Pres. Edward P. Fisher.  
(After dinner, members on the stage come to the parquet and after post prandial exercises, seats will be provided on floor.)  
7.05—Address, "Present Day Problems in Government and Business."  
Hon. Carroll L. Beedy, M. C., of Maine  
8 to 8.15—Intermission while public is being admitted to Auditorium.  
FOR CHAMBER MEMBERS, VETERAN ORGANIZATIONS AND THE PUBLIC  
Chamber members please remain at the tables.  
8.15—Address by General John J. Pershing.  
8.45—Appreciation of General Pershing by Hon. Carroll L. Beedy.  
8.15—Pershing reception to service men in Legion quarters.

### INDUSTRIAL CODE AIMED AT SETTLEMENT OF LABOR DISPUTES

Conditions Demand "Some Central Equalizing Board That Will Function in Interest of Labor, Capital and Public," Says Gov. Hartness

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, West Virginia, December 14.—Continued orderly development of the nation, industrially and governmentally, demands the formation of an industrial code aimed at the peaceful settlement of disputes between capital and labor, Governor James Harney of Vermont said in an address prepared for delivery at the conference of governors here today. (Governor Harney, a former president of the American Society of Engineers, is a large employer of labor, operating a machine tool plant at Springfield, Vt. He represented the United States government in England and France during the war.)

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### Germany Near Complete Collapse

LONDON, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Germany is very near to complete collapse, Prime Minister Bonar Law told the house of commons today. He declared that this was the only information he could give the house on the subject of reparations.

### HERRIN MURDER CASE

Witnesses Point Out Defendants as Members of Armed Mob  
MARION, Ills., Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Before a hushed and crowded court room two witnesses in the trial of five men for murder, in connection with the Herrin massacre, testified today they had seen a mob of several hundred persons driving six prisoners before them through the streets.

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### WAS BORN IN LOWELL

Albert S. Pillsbury, Brother of Late Admiral Pillsbury Dies Suddenly  
WEST SOMERVILLE, Dec. 14.—Albert S. Pillsbury, a brother of the late Rear Admiral John Eliott Pillsbury, U. S. N., died suddenly at his home here today. He was born in Lowell, in 1851.

Associate hall, Miner-Doyle's, tonight.

### PUBLIC TO HEAR A. E. F. LEADER

Military Organizations and Civilians Plan to Give Him Royal Welcome

Pretentious Plans for One of Biggest Affairs in History of City

Lowell will be signally honored tonight by the presence of the ranking officer of the United States army, Gen. John J. Pershing, commander of all American forces in Europe during the World War and recognized as one of the foremost military men of the age, when he comes to the city as the guest of the chamber of commerce at its "Appreciation Dinner" to be held at the Memorial Auditorium.

### ALL TICKETS HAVE BEEN DISTRIBUTED

At 2 o'clock this afternoon applications received took care of all available seats for Gen. Pershing's address which means the hall will be filled to capacity and admittance to the general public, aside from those who already hold tickets will be impossible.

Not only will the general be a dinner guest, but, also will deliver an address after a most interesting program of post prandial exercises, that will include especially prepared and arranged musical numbers, an address by Congressman Carroll L. Beedy of Maine, and the presentation of a set of resolutions to the old board of Trade Auditorium committee and the Memorial Auditorium building commission by the board of directors.

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### BRITAIN CANNOT PAY AMERICAN DEBT

LONDON, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Prime Minister Bonar Law emphatically argued in the house of commons today the impossibility of Great Britain paying the American debt while receiving nothing from Germany, France or Italy. He said no country could assume such a policy would reduce the standard of living in this country for generations.

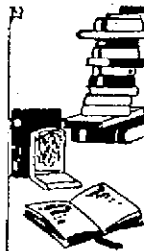
It would be a burden upon Great Britain of which those who suggested it had no conception, he believed.

The prime minister said public opinion abroad assumed that we are able to meet our obligations and help our friends.

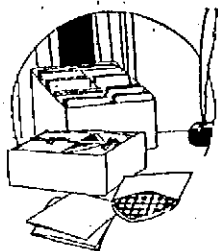
"In reality," he insisted, "we are in no such position. We are paying £100,000,000 yearly to the unemployed."

### TRAYNOR, AUCTIONEER

MAKE YOUR SON HAPPY  
Come in today and open a savings account in his name for CHRISTMAS, then let him save a dollar or two every week.  
Don't Spend It All  
WASHINGTON SAVINGS INSTITUTION  
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TRAYNOR & CHURCH  
Bay State Bldg. Tel. 1573 Lawrence. Tel. 353-W. Andover  
Coffee will be served at noon. Don't miss the showman's Village at 8.30 p. m. and 10 p. m.

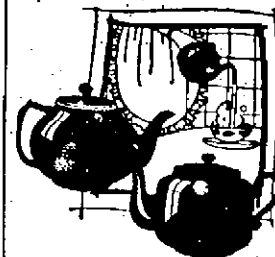
**Book and Stationery Shop**

Pay a visit to this newly added shop where you will find books for all by the most foremost authors, and a complete line of Xmas stationery to meet the requirements of everybody's pocketbook.



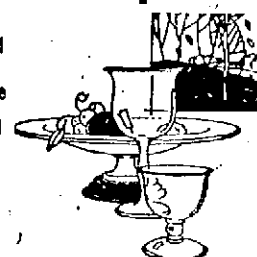
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Visit this shop filled with innumerable gifts for everyone and all occasions.

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# Ready-to-Wear for Holiday Giving

Practical Xmas gifts are becoming more popular. We have gone into the market and made special purchases of the finest of ready-to-wear giving exclusive high grade wearables for fashionable women at special prices. **Every Woman Loves Fine Clothes.** Many of the most exclusive styles will go first. Now is the time to get the best selection.



**FUR COATS**  
DYED MUSKRAT, RACCOON, HUDSON SEAL, NEAR SEAL  
**\$149.50, \$189.50, \$198.50, \$298 and \$349.50**

August prices prevail on fur coats. We cannot get any more in the quantities at these prices. We were fortunate in purchasing selected skins early. About 18 coats left at these prices.

SECOND FLOOR

**Ormandale Coats \$49.50**

We have just made a purchase of women's ormandale coats, all crepe lined, with throw collars. Big full coats, made extra long, sizes 40 to 48, in brown, navy and black. Ormandale, a high lustrous pile fabric bolivia. Coats made to sell for \$65.

SECOND FLOOR



**Marvelous Fur Trimmed WRAPS and COATS**  
**\$79.50, \$98.50, \$125.00, \$139.50**

MARVELLA, GERONA, LUSTROSA AND VELVETETTE, trimmed with beaver, squirrel and fish. We bought fifty beautiful individual garments in New York last week. A wonderful value are these high class beautiful materials, trimmed with wonderful furs. Exclusive models. Remarkable values.

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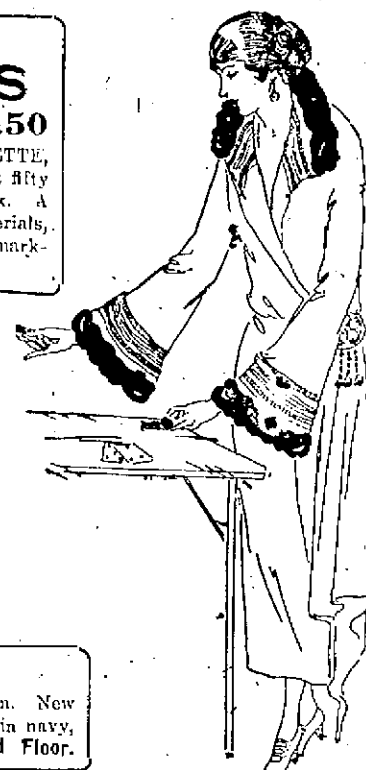
**SUITS Fur Trimmed**

Your Choice of Any of Our Fur Trimmed Suits at 1-3 Off Regular Prices

\$150.00 Suits. Now.....	\$100.00
\$100.00 Suits. Now.....	\$62.50
\$75.00 Suits. Now.....	\$50.00
\$60.00 Suits. Now.....	\$40.00
\$45.00 Suits. Now.....	\$30.00

These are all fine suits, trimmed with Beaver, Gray Squirrel and Platinum Wolf

SECOND FLOOR



**POIRET TWILL DRESSES, \$19.50**

Fifty smart, stylish poiret twill dresses bought in New York last week. All made of fine poiret twill, hand tailored, misses' and women's sizes, 16 to 44. Dresses made to sell for \$25.00, \$29.50 and \$35.00.

Second Floor.

**NEW TAFFETA DRESSES, \$25.00**

New styles, advanced 1923 models, bought in New York. Twenty-five of them. New taffeta styles, in better quality, trimmed with new Berthas, very pretty in navy, Havana blue and cocoa brown.

Second Floor.

## Women's and Children's HOSIERY SHOP Street Floor

Special Hosiery Opportunities Suggest That You Give It As Gifts. The attractive designs of the past seasons have made hosiery such a popular Christmas gift that we are glad to announce very special values for those who plan to give this year. Right quality Hosiery is here at Right Prices.

### WOMEN'S SILK HOSE

Full fashioned in black, pair, **\$1.50 to \$4.50**

### WOMEN'S SILK HOSE

Full fashioned in colors, pair, **\$1.50 to \$3.50**

### WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE

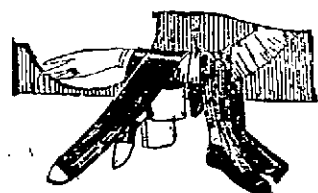
In silk and wool, full fashioned, plain and some embroidered, pair ..... **\$2.25 to \$3.50**

### WOMEN'S OUTSIZE SILK HOSE

Full fashioned, pair **\$2.50, \$3.00 and \$4.00**

### WOMEN'S SILK HOSE

Silk embroidered front, also side clox and lace inserts, are full fashioned, pair, **\$2.50 to \$6.00**



### INFANTS' HOSE

Silk and wool, pair ..... **75c**

### WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE

Full fashioned, pair, **50c, 75c and \$1.00**

### WOMEN'S HOSE

Mercerized tisle, full fashioned, pair **75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25**

### WOMEN'S SPORT HOSE

Fine wool and silk and wool, pair ..... **\$1.25 to \$2.50**

### CHILDREN'S SPORT HOSE

Ribbed, pr. **85c, \$1 and \$1.15**

### CHILDREN'S HOSE

Mercerized ribbed tisle in black, white, cordovan and Russian, pair ..... **50c and 60c**

### INFANTS' CASHMERE HOSE

Ribbed, with silk heels and toes, pair ..... **50c**

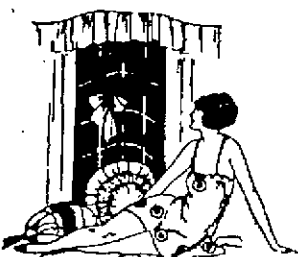


## PILLOWS DRAPERY SHOP

A Gay Gift For the Home

Pillows of every shape, covered with most wanted materials in the latest colorings are here for your selection.

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## Self-Service CASH AND CARRY

## GROCETERIA CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

### NUTS, 1922 GATHERING

Castanas ..... 18c  
Mixed Nuts ..... 25c  
Maple Walnuts ..... 30c  
Paper Shell Almonds ..... 38c  
California Budded Walnuts ..... 42c

### EVAPORATED FRUITS

Peaches ..... 25c and 32c  
Fancy Malaga Cluster Raisins ..... 39c  
Crown Loose Muscatel Raisins ..... 20c  
Seeded Raisins, 15 oz. .... 16c  
Seedless Raisins, 15 oz. .... 17c  
Holly Brand Currants, 15 oz. .... 25c

French Glace Cherries, 1/2 lb. box ..... 45c  
Persian Stuffed Dates, 1 lb. box ..... 75c  
Smyrna Figs, 1 lb. box ..... 55c  
Dromedary Dates ..... 20c  
Paradise Golden Dates ..... 20c



### PLUM PUDDINGS

Friend's ..... 14c  
National ..... 12c and 32c  
Richardson & Robbins 1 lb. .... 30c  
Heinz Plum, 1 lb. .... 39c  
Heinz Fig, 1 lb. .... 39c  
Heinz Plum, 2 lbs. .... 70c

### MINCE MEAT

None-Such ..... 15c  
Heinz, 1 lb. cans ..... 49c  
Heinz, 2 lb. cans ..... 37c  
Heinz, glass jar, 1 lb. .... 68c  
Heinz, glass jar, 2 lb. .... 68c

### FLOUR

Snow Drop Pastry ..... 85c  
Pillsbury's ..... \$1.10  
Gold Medal ..... \$1.09  
Occident ..... \$1.25  
Bridal Veil ..... \$1.35  
E. A. Co. .... \$1.35

## Cedar Chests DRAPERY SHOP

### RED CEDAR CHESTS

They hold all, cover all, guard all. It's a winter palace for your summer clothes. A summer ensile for your winter furs.

Look Over Our Assortment

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## CORSET SHOP SECOND FLOOR

### BANDEAUX AND BRASSIERES

Make attractive and useful gifts. Look over our large assortment. Put up in Xmas boxes

The Comfort Bandeau with hose supporters in front only, plain or fancy materials, hooked in back and side. Priced **59c, 79c and \$1.50**

H. & W. 3141, made of fancy brocade. Gives the flattening effect and insures the wearer of the much desired straight front lines. Priced.....**\$1.50**  
A very popular number

Flattening Effect Bandeaux, pink striped material, hook side, two models, one for medium figure and one for taller figure. Priced ..... **79c and \$1.00**

Flattening Effect Bandeaux in pink satin with elastic at waist-line. Priced ..... **\$1.50**

Brassieres of all over embroidery with wide lace top and bottom trimmed, hooked front. Priced **\$1.50 to \$3.00**



## The HOOVER



Lighten the burden of house-keeping and give "her" time for recreation and rest. Give "her" a Hoover. It will be a useful and greatly appreciated gift.  
Demonstration-Table 1st Floor

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### MAKE IT WITH RIBBONS

Many useful things can be made of ribbons. Visit this shop and let the saleswomen show how many pretty things may be made from ribbons.

Hairbow Ribbons in pink, blue, Alice blue, red, navy and black. Extra heavy quality. Specially priced ..... **29c Yd.**

Hairbow Ribbons in novelty stripes and plain, in all good shades. Specially Priced **39c Yd**



Lingerie Clasps, made with rose-buds and fancy rosettes. Priced **25c to 39c Pr.**

Ribbons for Neckties. We have a wonderful assortment to choose from. Priced **\$1.00 to \$1.98 Yd.**  
All ties pinned free

Ready Ruffle Ribbon for garters, arm bands and coat hangers. Comes tubular, all ready to run in your elastic. Priced **39c and 59c Yd.**

Wash Ribbons in pink, blue and white, 10 yards to roll. Priced **25c Roll**







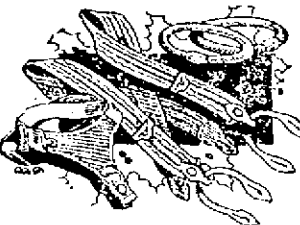
## Gifts That Men Want

From a store where they come to buy such things themselves. This is a Men's Store, abounding in splendid Gift Suggestions for Men. Whatever you choose here will be sure to gratify and satisfy the man who gets it. A Few Suggestions—



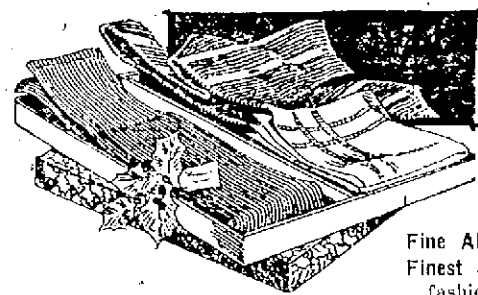
## SCARFS

BRUSHED WOOL  
\$1.50 and Up  
ALPACA WOOL  
\$3.00  
SILK AND FIBRES  
\$1.50 up to \$5.00



Single Brighton or Boston  
Garters.... 25¢ and 50¢  
Suspenders Combinations,  
75¢, \$1.00, \$1.50  
Carter and Belt Combinations,  
\$1.00 and \$1.50  
Armbands .... 25¢ and 50¢  
Choice Colors.

## HOSIERY



SILK AND  
WOOL  
Silk Plaited  
50¢  
Thread Silk  
Full Fashioned  
\$1.00  
Cashmere  
50¢  
Dropstitch Wool  
85¢

Fine All Wool... \$1.00  
Finest Silk and Wool, full  
fashioned ..... \$1.50

Other Useful Christmas Gifts for Men—Gloves,  
Caps, Sweaters, Handkerchiefs, Neckwear, Cuff Buttons,  
Shirts, Bathrobes, Tom Wye Knit Jackets, Underwear,  
Flannel Shirts.

The Home of "Sweet-Orr" Work Clothes

**Fraser's**  
**MEN'S WEAR**  
Middlesex & Gorham Sts.

## LADIES' HEBREW CHARITY SOCIETY

Several hundred couples attended the 17th annual ball of the Ladies' Hebrew Charity Society in Association hall last night. The decorative scheme of the hall consisted of a display of the national colors, interwoven with white and blue bunting, forming an attractive picture. Prior to the general dancing, a brief concert by the orchestra was enjoyed. The officers in charge of the affair were as follows: Arrangement committee, Mrs. L. Cohen, president; Mrs. A. Neuman, vice-president; Mrs. I. Lichtenman, treasurer; Mr. S. Miller, secretary; general manager, Mrs. Ida Rostler; assistant general manager, Mrs. L. Domesick; floor director, Mrs. Ida Frank; assistant floor director, Mrs. S. Cohen; chief aid, Mrs. D. Ziskind; aids, Mrs. Hafter, Mrs. P. Wagenholt, Mrs. Feldman, Mrs. L. Bernstein, Mrs. B. Shapiro, for seasons.

Mrs. R. Brownstein, Mrs. Fein, Mrs. P. H. Cohen.

## BRUNEN'S DAUGHTER AGAIN ON STAND

MOUNT HOLLY, N. J., Dec. 14.—Hazel Brunen, the 17-year-old daughter of "Honest" John T. Brunen, who created a sensation yesterday by testifying against Mrs. Doris Brunen, her stepmother, and Harry C. Mohr, on trial for murdering her father, was on the witness stand again today. Cross-examined by counsel for the defense, she repeated the story of her elopement with William Pakatrom, a lion tamer, and how Mrs. Brunen had aided with her against her father. When the trial was resumed today, Mrs. Harry C. Mohr, who created a stir yesterday by crying out to Hazel: "I'll smother you dead!" was permitted to sit in the courtroom again, but before being allowed to enter she was searched for weapons.

## Irene's Hat Shop

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All Our Velvet, Duvetyne,  
Felt Trimmed Hats

**1/2 Regular Price**

\$2.98 Hats Reduced to ..... \$1.49  
\$3.98 Hats Reduced to ..... \$1.99  
\$4.95 Hats Reduced to ..... \$2.48  
\$5.95 Hats Reduced to ..... \$2.98  
\$6.95 Hats Reduced to ..... \$3.49  
\$7.95 Hats Reduced to ..... \$3.98  
\$8.95 Hats Reduced to ..... \$4.48  
\$9.95 Hats Reduced to ..... \$4.95

ANGORA HATS in all colors ..... \$1.00

## U. S. APPEAL AVERTS BREAK

Ambassador Childs' Frank  
Talk Makes Good Impres-  
sion in Turkish Circles

LAUSANNE, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Ambassador Childs' frank talk with Ismet Pasha yesterday on the subject of minorities residing in Turkey made a good impression in Turkish circles and exercised a calming influence on the entire Lausanne conference, which nervously saw dangers of a breakdown of all the negotiations because of the threatened rupture over the treatment of the Greeks and Armenians by Turkey.

The friendly intervention of the American representative at the right moment has convinced the Turks of the immense strength of world opinion—particularly that of the United States—on the need for a settlement of the minority problem. Ambassador Childs urged Ismet to reconsider his position as to the Armenians and other dislodged populations, pointing out that American contributors to relief work in the Near East desired to know that their gifts would help the refugees in Asia Minor to settle in permanent homes.

Turkish spokesmen believe that the American representative at the conference was the natural arbitrator on this vexing problem. They contend that Turkey has to do the right thing, but adds that any measures designed to satisfy world opinion must not violate Turkey's sovereign rights or force her to grant exceptional privileges to people within her borders whom she cannot assimilate.

Ismet's reply to Lord Curzon's vigorous denunciation of the Turkish attitude toward the minority question, was awaited today, with many delegates predicting that Ismet, bowing to high humanitarian considerations, would offer new suggestions calculated to prepare the way for a satisfactory settlement of the Armenian-Greek difficulty.

## WATER IS SHUT OFF

Mayor Curley Says Water  
Department Justified—15  
Families Affected

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Mayor James M. Curley today issued a statement announcing that the city would not be justified in taking any action to resume water service to 15 families residing on Perndale street, Dorchester, until the water bill covering a period of five years and totalling \$1233 had been paid.

The mayor deplored the fact that the tenants had been made to suffer through the action of the city water department yesterday afternoon in shutting off the supply, but declared that the city's business could not go on if delinquent persons were allowed to run up bills.

Officials of the water and law departments were called in conference today to consider the situation. Thirty children are included in the 15 families involved, and at least three of these were said by their parents to be ill. The shutting off of the water, the tenants complained, necessitated the drawing of fires in kitchen ranges to which hot water tanks were attached. Some of the families were thus left without heat in their homes during the night, they said.

## WOMAN DIES AS RESULT OF FALL

Her skull fractured by a fall down a flight of stairs in her home at 120 Cross street, about 6 o'clock last evening, Miss Fannie Cannon, 60, died on the operating table in St. John's hospital an hour later.

The woman has lived alone for a number of years, occupying the top tenement in a block. As near as can be learned, she came home last evening and had reached the top step of a long flight when she fell backwards. She was heard to fall by neighbors, who in turn summoned medical aid.



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## Two Mexican Rebel Leaders Surrender

MEXICO CITY, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press)—Reports of the surrender of two rebel leaders were received here today, while emissaries in behalf of others were in the capital endeavoring to obtain amnesty for their chief claims.

## \$25,000 Loss Caused by Fire

NORTH NEW PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 14.—The \$100,000 wood turning plant of the C. H. Bartlett Manufacturing Co., was damaged by fire of undetermined origin last night. Prompt work by members of the fire crew and volunteer fire fighters saved the plant. The loss was about \$25,000.

## Orient Express Snowed in by Blizzard

ATHENS, Dec. 13.—(By the Associated Press)—The Orient express due in Athens Monday evening, has been snowed in by a blizzard in the Macedonian mountains for the past 24 hours. Three feet of snow have fallen in the mountain districts and trains that should have left this city for the north are being detained here. Among the passengers on the stalled express are four Near East relief nurses.

## FRIDAY AT THE LIVE STORE SAUNDERS

Our Low Prices on Quality Merchandise Are  
Made Possible by Our Low Operating Cost.  
All Goods Must Please or Money  
Cheerfully Refunded.

**FISH** Fresh Shore HADDOCK, lb. .... 5¢  
Sliced COD and HADDOCK, lb. 12¢  
Boston BLUEFISH, lb. .... 12¢  
Fancy Eastern HALIBUT, lb. .... 25¢

Choice Tinker MACKEREL 5¢ each, 6 for 25¢

Fresh Green Smelts, lb. 16¢ Fresh Perch, lb. .... 25¢  
Fresh Boiled Shrimps, lb. 40¢ Fresh Pickerel, lb. .... 25¢  
Meaty Oysters, pt. .... 30¢ Sea Scallops, lb. .... 45¢

FINNAN HADDIE, 10¢ Choice SWORD-  
Fresh Smoked, lb. 10¢ FISH, select cuts, lb. 28¢

OYSTERS—CLAMS—MUSSELS IN THE SHELL

**Meat Display** Best and Finest in Lowell.  
Economy Prices Prevail.

**PORK** Fresh Northern Small  
Pig LOINS, lb. .... 19¢  
Cut any size you wish

**Lamb** Fine Yearling LEGS, 25¢  
Choice Selection.

FANCY **VEAL LEGS**, 25¢ lb.

**Steak** TOP ROUND  
SIRLOIN  
VEIN 25¢ lb.  
Cut from Good Quality  
Beef.

**Corned Beef** Fancy Lean STICKERS, lb. .... 10¢  
Choice THICK RIBS, lb. .... 14¢  
Selected Fancy BRISKETS,  
Superior Grade, lb. .... 14¢

**CHICKEN** Cut Up, From Fresh Stock, 29¢  
Pound

**ROOSTERS**, 32¢ FOWL, 35¢  
Young Fatted, lb. Fresh Kill, 4-lb. ave.

**Chuck Rolls** Clear Meat, for Oven  
or Pot Roast, lb. .... 15¢

## SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Fancy Cape CRANBERRIES ..... 2 qts. 25¢

GREEN MOUNTAIN **POTATOES** 15 lb. 23¢  
pk. ....

**Sugar** 10 POUNDS 50¢  
With

1 POUND JEM COFFEE ..... 39¢  
1 POUND HIGHEST GRADE TEA ..... 60¢  
1 POUND BEST GRADE CREAMERY BUTTER ..... 49¢  
3 POUNDS DUTCH COCOA ..... 25¢

1/2 Pint Best Free With 1 lb. TEA . . 60¢  
CREAM Orange Pekoe

1/2 Can Every Day Evap. Milk Free With 1 lb. JEM COFFEE 39¢ lb.

2 Cans Every Day Free EVAP. MILK or 1/2 lb. can Borden's With 1-8 BAKING POWDER Bbl. Bag JEM FLOUR \$1.25

FLOUR! FLOUR! FLOUR!  
GOLD MEDAL, 1-8 barrel bag ..... \$1.13  
BEN HUR, 1-8 barrel bag ..... \$1.07  
LUXURY PASTRY, 1-8 barrel bag ..... 89¢

FRESH ROASTED **COFFEE**, High Grade 25¢ lb.

FRESH FROM OUR OVENS  
BREAD 16 oz. 5¢ 24 oz. 8¢ Made From JEM Flour

CREAM PUFFS, very tasty! Each 5¢ FIG SQUARES, 18¢  
Doz. ....

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For all ages  
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Heavy blanket robes of beautiful figured colorings. Usually sold much higher.

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Regular \$1.98 value.

## MEN'S ENGLISH RIBBED WOOL SPORT HOSE

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## MEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS

10¢ to 50¢  
Extra fine quality.

## LADIES' HOSIERY

Creme Seam Art Silk. 98¢  
SPECIAL, Pair

## LADIES' HANDKERCHIEFS

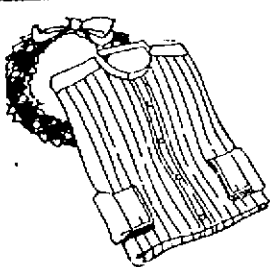
Embroidered  
Lace Corner  
or Fancy colored,  
10¢  
15¢ and 25¢



## Men's Dress Shirts

SILK STRIPES  
FINE MADRAS  
and  
RUSSIAN CORD

Special Price \$1.98



## GROCERY SPECIALS

Cane Sugar ..... 10 lbs. 69¢  
Large Juicy Oranges, doz. 40¢  
Bananas, lb. .... 7¢  
Goodwill Laundry Soap,  
10 bars 39¢

## ANSCO CAMERAS

\$1.50  
Takes 1 1/2 x 2 1/2 picture.

## ELECTRIC CHRISTMAS TREE OUTFIT

8 and 16 bulb outfits, \$2.75  
24 bulb outfits, \$3.98

Beautiful colored lights, can be plugged into any light socket.

## MANICURE SETS.....\$2.98

A beautiful gift of 12 pieces in a silk lined leather case.

## TOILET SETS ..... 89¢

Talcum Powder, fancy soap and toilet water.

## DAINTY CHEMISE.....\$1.95

Creme de Chine and silk in the new shades. An excellent gift.

## FANCY LINGERIE GARTERS

In fancy glass top gift box. Special ..... 49¢

## SILK BOUDOIR CAPS

Extra heavy silk, with lace and ribbon trims ..... \$1.19

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Corner Central and Middle

## RECEIPTS FROM TAXES IMPOSED BY STATE

(Special to The Sun.)  
BOSTON, Dec. 11.—Receipts from the various taxes imposed by the commonwealth aggregated \$40,366,069 during the fiscal year which ended Nov. 30, according to announcement made today by Henry F. Long, commissioner of corporations and taxation.

Of this sum, the income tax yielded \$13,505,282; the business corporation tax \$11,069,674; the inheritance tax \$6,804,848; the franchise tax upon public service corporations, \$2,527,307; the tax upon insurance companies, \$2,187,140; the savings institutions tax, \$2,011,270; the national bank tax, \$1,812,408; and the stock transfer tax, \$238,253.

The aggregate assessed valuation of real estate and tangible personal property, locally valued as of April 1, was \$5,711,023,312, this representing an increase of nearly \$175,000,000 over the 1921 figure, which was \$5,535,185,008.

Local taxes levied this year, including the poll taxes, amounted to \$162,779,795. This was an increase of approximately \$10,000,000 over the 1921 levies, which in turn represented about the same increase over 1920. Both

these increases, however, compare favorably with the record set up in 1920, which represented an increase of about \$25,000,000 over the 1919 figure.

Deducting from the total local tax levy this year the amount of the state tax, \$12,000,000, and the county taxes aggregating \$7,807,833, leaves \$142,971,906 which was raised by cities and towns for their own purposes. On the basis of present population this represents a per capita assessment of \$37.11 to meet the costs of local government.

Mr. Long's figures relative to live stock assessed in this state show that on April 1 there were owned in Massachusetts 91,357 horses, this being the smallest number assessed since 1885, when it was 99,750. The maximum, 200,494, was reached in 1897.

Cows, on the other hand, appear to be increasing in Massachusetts, for this year's assessment, 161,131, is the highest since 1905, when it was 158,221. Last year the number was only 158,305. The largest number ever assessed was in 1896, when the local assessors found 200,655.

The number of sheep has begun to fall off, this year showing but 12,527, as compared with 15,163 last year, and the record number of 169,513 assessed away back in 1864.

Pigs assessed this year are 23,111, against 25,510 last year and 44,570 in the record year of 1883.

The number of fowl assessed is

## OUR BOARDING HOUSE



## Do children know good bread?

The answer to above question will appear in this space tomorrow.

Yesterday's Question: Does Bond Bread help the grocer?

The Answer: Yes—he creates good-will for his store by selling Bond Bread. And he can sell so much Bond Bread that he can make it the most profitable item in his store. Bond Bread also helps the grocer by gracing his own table.

## Bond Bread

INGREDIENTS GUARANTEED

BY THE GENERAL BAKING COMPANY

W. Va., sponsors enactment of law for registration of all members in secret organizations.

Federal Council of Churches in session at Indianapolis emphasizes responsibility of Protestant churches in United States.

William J. Burns at hearing on Daugherty impeachment charges says Samuel Gompers has hoodlums in ever since arrest of McNamara brothers in dynamiting plots.

James J. Phelan, Massachusetts emergency fuel executive, asks Senators Lodge and Walsh to refer question of alleged delayed coal shipments to New England to interstate commerce commission for investigation.

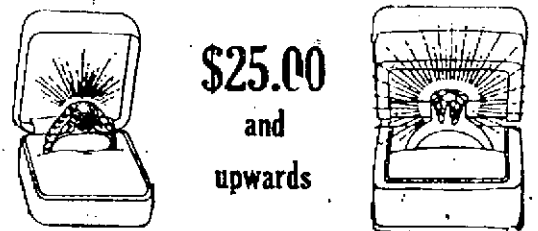
Seven tugs balked in attempt to

Harvard opens hockey season by victory over Boston University, 2 to 0.

Edison, Wilson and Lodge voted by students of Bowdoin college, as three greatest living Americans in order named. Hughes, Schwab and Taft are runners-up in the poll.

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\$25.00  
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## Why Not Make Your Gift This Christmas a Diamond?

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1,450,118 as against 1,217,004 for 1921, and 1,467,495 in 1916, which was the high year in respect to this form of poultry product.

Dwelling houses were assessed this year to the number of 626,529, as against 620,981 for the year 1921, showing a fairly healthy growth under the circumstances, and being the largest number on record in this state. The smallest number of which there is any record was assessed in 1861, when it was only 175,194.

FRENCH NEGLIGES A new note in French negligees is the use of huge cords and girdles and festoons of rope-like material that are introduced on the plain or elaborate model.

## SUMMARY OF EARLY MORNING A. P. NEWS

Irish laborites vigorously protest against expense of installing new governor-general of Free State in former vice regal lodge.

American Ambassador Child urges Ismet Pasha to make just concessions for protection of Armenians, Greeks and other minorities in Turkey.

Birkenhead (tells British lords there are limits to humiliations which it is wise to inflict upon Germany.

of relatively poor wages exalted sympathy of house of commons.

New York theatrical producers unite to wipe out ticket agencies and approve central office to sell seats at premium of 10 cents.

Three comets swing through skies for first time in years, Harvard observatory reports.

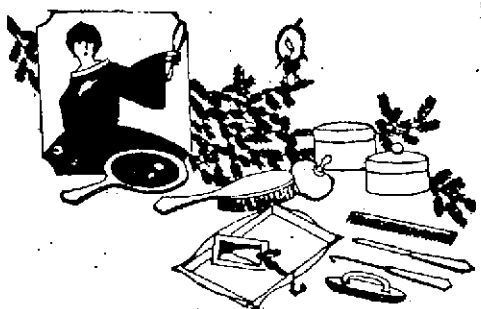
Real Japanese invasion threatens United States in form of Japanese beetle, federal horticultural expert declares.

Chairman Volstead of house judiciary committee declares he has failed to be impressed by testimony against Attorney General Daugherty in impeachment proceedings.

Parker of Louisiana at conference of governors at White Sulphur Springs.

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The Store for Thrifty People



## A SPLENDID SELECTION OF IVORY PYRALIN ARTICLES

Including the new Du Barry and La Belle Patterns—also Shell Pyralin

Combs ..... 39c to \$1.89	Brushes ..... \$2.25 to \$6.50
Mirrors ..... \$3.50 to \$8.00	Puff Boxes ..... \$1.00 to \$5.00
Brushes ..... \$2.25 to \$6.50	Hair Receivers ..... \$1.00 to \$5.00
Files ..... 39c to 85c	Shoe Horns ..... 50c to \$1.25
Trays ..... 79c to \$8.50	
Buffers ..... \$1.25 to \$2.50	Bulion Hooks ..... 25c to 75c
Soap Boxes ..... 45c to \$1.75	Perfume Holders ..... 75c to \$3.00
Jewel Cases ..... \$1.69 to \$5.50	Clocks ..... \$3.25 to \$7.25
Calendars ..... 50c to \$1.25	Picture Frames ..... 25c to \$3.39
Pin Cushions ..... \$1.39 to \$2.69	

Street Floor

## Christmas in the Notion Section

Brings out many little novelties which are not found at other seasons of the year, and all are attractively priced.

Women's Fancy Garters, in all the pretty light shades. From 50c to \$1.25 pr.	Needle Books, in all sizes and styles. From 25c to \$3.00 ea.
Fancy Sewing Boxes, cretonne and leather covered, in green, old rose, blue, purple. From 59c to \$5.00 ea.	Fancy Shirred Elastic, for fancy garters, in all shades. From 30c yd. to 59c yd.
Kiddies' Rubber Aprons, in tan and blue. 50c ea.	Women's Rubber Aprons, in white and colors; a very practical Xmas gift. 89c ea.
Guest Room Bouquets; a very pretty colonial bouquet with all the small articles necessary at almost any time. \$1.00 ea.	Boys' Pocket Knife with chain, two blades. 50c ea.

## Toilet Goods Add to the Fragrance of Christmas

Try giving a man or woman any one of the numerous articles for her or his toilet. In either case, you'll be rewarded by genuine pleasure, for toilet goods for one's person add delightful piquancy to the feeling of cleanliness.

Karess Toilet Water ..... \$3.50	Karess Perfume, sealed bottle, 75c to \$1.00
Karess Face Powder ..... \$1.00	Karess Face Powder ..... \$2.00
Karess Compacts ..... 75c and \$1.50	Finneece Toilet Water ..... \$2.50
Finneece Perfume, sealed bottle, 75c to \$1.50	Manere Compacts 75c and \$1.50
Un Air Embaume Toilet Water, 3.00 and \$5.69	Un Air Embaume Perfume, sealed bottle, 2.75 and \$4.25
Un Air Embaume Compacts, 75c and \$1.39	Mary Garden Toilet Water, 1.50 to \$3.00
Mary Garden Compacts ..... \$1.00	Mary Garden Sets ..... \$2.75
Hudnut's Perfumes, sealed bottles, 75c to \$6.00	Hudnut's Toilet Waters, 1.00 to \$1.75
Hudnut's Sets ..... \$1.50 to \$7.50	Hudnut's Double Compacts, gold filled case ..... \$2.50
Hudnut's Double Compacts, \$1.50	

Street Floor

## A Merchandise Order

There are some people whom you simply can't find anything for! They seem to have everything!

Why not give them a merchandise order and let them come in and use it during the year to buy whatever strikes their fancy? It's a sensible gift.

Call at the Glove Section, Street Floor, and inquire about these orders.

## Gift Problems Solved

### Silk Underwear

Most women prefer having a piece of Silk Underwear to anything else.

Glove Silk Vests, white, flesh, green, maize and orchid. \$1.15 to \$3.00

Jersey Silk Vests, in white, flesh and orchid, \$1.50 and \$2.00

Silk Bloomers ..... \$3.75

Street Floor

### Cedar Chests as Gifts

There is always a place in the home for a cedar chest and they are such appreciated gifts. We have them in great variety, just waiting to add a touch of life to some empty spot. It may be a small one, that is 30 inches long, 15 inches wide and 10 inches deep, or a large one, 45 inches long, 21 inches wide and 18 inches deep. Of course there are sizes in between; some are plain, some fancy with either wood or brass trimmings. Priced, \$12.00 to \$42.50

Second Floor

### Give Silk Stockings

Here's a real Christmas need—because one can never have too many pairs. Better make your selection today so you'll be sure and get what you want.



Women's Plain Silk Hose, in black and colors. \$1.50 to \$3.50	Pair
Women's Silk Hose, with embroidered clocks. \$3.00, \$4.00 and \$4.50	
Women's Silk Hose, with lace clocks, \$3.00, \$3.25, \$3.75, \$4.00 and \$5.25	
Women's Navy Silk Hose ..... \$1.50 to \$2.75	
Women's Silk Hose, new shades, otter, dove, brown, polo gray, nut gray ..... \$2.75 and \$3.00	
Children's Silk Hose, fine rib, white and black ..... \$1.50 and \$2.00	

Street Floor

## The Slippers' Ways Are Cushioned Ways

Christmas is the time to replace the old house and bedroom slippers with new ones. What welcome, useful gifts they do make! Mother, Father, Sister, Brother, Friend—who cannot make real use of a lovely warm, comfortable pair of slippers, that make you think you were walking on cushions.

Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, in all colors, plain and ribbon trimmed. \$2.00	Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, quilted satin. \$2.25
Daniel Green Comfy Slippers, with satin trimming and quilted insoles. \$2.50	Daniel Green Men's Comfy Slippers, in brown and oxford gray. \$2.50
Daniel Green Misses' and Children's Comfy Slippers, in kitty, red, blue and fawn. \$1.50	Daniel Green Russian Booties, in kitty red. \$2.00
Women's Moccasins, live wool lined. \$3.00	Women's Boudoir Slippers, mule style, with junior Louis heels and satin linings. \$3.50

Street Floor



## CEMETERY COMMISSION DRAFTS NEW RULES

New regulations governing the conduct of employees of the public cemetery commission, whereby it will prohibit such employees from engaging in cemetery work as individuals or firms, have been framed and approved by the commission, to become effective February 1.

It is alleged that instances of doing such work in spare hours has come to the attention of the board and the new rule has been drafted to put a stop to the practice.

The rules adopted follow:

- 1.—All orders for work of any kind in the public cemeteries shall be left at the office at the Edison cemetery, where all inquiries regarding the same must also be made.
- 2.—No soliciting for work of any kind will be allowed in the public cemeteries.
- 3.—No work in the care of or relative to lots, monuments, etc., shall be allowed in any public cemetery before 5 a. m. or after 5 p. m., without the written permission of the superintendent.
- 4.—Any work to be done by people not employed by the department must be submitted to the superintendent for his approval before commencing, and

his approval of the same must be obtained when the work is finished.

5.—No person or firm caring for lots as a business shall use water provided by the cemetery department without the written permission of the superintendent, who shall make a charge of the same.

6.—No pipe connections will be allowed at any time without the written consent of the superintendent.

7.—All foundations must be laid and built by the cemetery department under the direction of the superintendent.

8.—No material of any kind will be provided by the cemetery department to outside parties without a charge for the same, written consent of the superintendent to be given, stating cost.

9.—Immediately upon completion of any work in lots, all surplus material must be removed by those doing the work. Avenues or lots other than the ones upon which work is being done must not be occupied, but must be kept clear at all times.

10.—No employees of the cemetery department shall be allowed to engage as a private individual or firm, in the business of caring for lots, grading or work of any kind relating to the public cemeteries. Any employee disregarding this rule shall be liable to immediate discharge.

11.—This rule will be rigidly enforced.

12.—All persons are forbidden walking across or making paths over lots as thoroughfares, or entering upon lots

for any other purpose than that of necessary work.

13.—The penalty for violation of these rules shall be the withdrawal of all privileges of work or employment in the cemeteries at the discretion of the commissioners, and any improper, trespass, vandalism or other illegal act shall subject the offender to liability of arrest and prosecution in the courts.

### HOLD THAT PARTY

A successful stag party for the members of the Father Mathew society of North Billerica was conducted in the rooms of the organization Tuesday night. The affair was largely attended and proved a source of enjoyment for all present. In the early evening a brief business session was held with President D. Fred Reardon in the chair. A brief address was given by Rev. Dr. Charles Sullivan, pastor of St. Andrew's church, who is spiritual director of the society. The entertainment which followed was as follows: Piano selections, George Freeman; solo, James H. Cannon; dancing, specialty, James Walker; song, Edward Gannon; reading, George Benson; character songs, Bert Ellis; quartet numbers, Edward Collins, Henry Sullivan, James Walker, Edward Cox; songs, Louis Mahoney, Carl Latender, Leo Nugent and Fred Sheridan. The literary committee comprised of J. Frank Mullen, Edward Gannon and Thomas P. Sheridan, had charge of the affair. Refreshments, cigars and fruit were served.

**POST NOMINATES OFFICERS**  
A feature of the recent meeting of Billerica post, 116, American Legion, was the nomination of officers, which resulted as follows: Harold Tivy, commander; Henry Sullivan, vice commander; John Maxwell, adjutant; Joseph Faltbrother, historian; Louis Mahoney, chaplain; John Gannon, sergeant-at-arms; John J. Mcweeney, executive committee. The election will take place at next Monday night's meeting.

### SWAMP-ROOT FOR KIDNEY AILMENTS

There is only one medicine that really stands out pre-eminent as a medicine for curable ailments of the kidneys, liver and bladder.

Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root stands the highest for the reason that it has proven to be just the remedy needed in thousands upon thousands of distressing cases. Swamp-Root makes friends quickly because its mild and immediate effect is soon realized in most cases. It is a gentle, healing vegetable compound.

Start treatment at once. Sold at all drug stores in bottles of two sizes, medium and large.

However, if you wish first to test this great preparation send ten cents to Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y., for a sample bottle. When writing be sure and mention this paper.

### CREW RESCUED AT SEA

Norwegian Steamer Picked Up 20 Shipwrecked French Fishermen

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—The story of the rescue of 20 shipwrecked French fishermen, crew of the trawler Auguste Leblonde, was told today when the Norwegian steamer Niels Nielsen arrived here a week late, with a cargo of coal from Grangemouth.

Last Wednesday night off the Grand Banks the Nielsen picked up a wireless call from the Auguste Leblonde, saying the trawler was sinking and required immediate help. Proceeding immediately, the Nielsen with difficulty took off her crew early Thursday morning. The trawler sank shortly afterward, about 150 miles southeast of Cape Race.

The Leblonde had been caught in bad weather and had been heavily pounded by the seas. The Nielsen put into Halifax, where the ship wrecked crew was landed.

### LIQUOR TRAFFIC ON AN ORGANIZED BASIS

FREDERICTON, N. B., Dec. 14.—Officials who maintained a watch over liquor traffic and over liquor transportation in New Brunswick have uncovered some of the methods used by persons running liquor into the United States over the border. The traffic is said to be on an organized basis.

Information received here is to the effect that the run from St. John to New York is made on a schedule calling for a three day trip. Automobiles have been observed to be very different in appearance on their return from New York and some of those engaged in the traffic have disclosed that it is the practice to apply a new color scheme to each car while it is in New York, using a paint which dries overnight.

The carrying of liquor is legal until it reaches the boundary, as it is transported under government export license.

**CLOTH OF GOLD**  
A rich evening costume of gold cloth, made with a full pointed train, and of the gold over gold lace throat, and a sash drapery of court silk.

### MISERABLE FOR TWO YEARS

"Fruit-a-lives" Restored Her Strength and Vitality

MOUNTAINVILLE, CARROLL CO., N. H.  
"I was all run down and work was burdensome owing to indigestion, and gas on my stomach which caused me to belch a good deal. My heart seemed to be affected."

It was two years ago that I was in this condition and began the use of "Fruit-a-lives", which proved the very remedy I required. I was freed of the indigestion, which I attributed to my heart; and I can conscientiously recommend "Fruit-a-lives" the great Fruit Medicine.

Mrs. FRANK W. WALLACE.  
50c a box, 6 for \$2.50, trial size 25c. At dealers or from FRUIT-A-LIVES Limited, OUDENBURG, N.Y.

## MIGHTY MANUFACTURERS' SALE

Two Big Shoe Manufacturers of Brockton and Haverhill, Mass., unload their entire stocks to us at a tremendous sacrifice. The Highest Grade Footwear of New England—nationally famous brands that are known from coast to coast to go at

**Marvelous Money-Saving Prices.**

A BEFORE CHRISTMAS MONEY-SAVING TREAT THAT WILL BE WELCOMED BY EVERY THRIFTY FAMILY IN LOWELL

**Sale Starts Tomorrow Morning** | SEE THE DISPLAY WINDOW

800 pairs of a well known brand  
**LADIES' COMFORT**  
Ribbon Trimmed, Felt Slippers with Cushion Soles and Heels.  
2.00 Value  
Sale Price  
**\$1.00**

Direct from the Factories  
**BOYS' SHOES**  
Black or Tan  
**\$2.98**

Direct from the Factories  
**BOYS' SHOES**  
Broad or medium toe.  
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 All-Over Silk Hose, Mexican clocks, in black and white, \$3.50  
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 All Wool, also Silk and Wool, with fancy clocks and plain weaves, 98c to \$4.98  
 Children's All Wool Sport Stockings, in heather mixtures, 95c

## Knit Underwear

Well known make of ladies' fine All Wool Vests, bodice style, all sizes; value \$1.50. Sale price 59c

Ladies' Silk and Wool and All Wool Union Suits, no sleeve, knee and ankle length, band top, all sizes. Sale price \$1.79

Ladies' Fleece Lined Vests, low neck and no sleeves, band top; value \$1.00. Sale price 59c  
 STREET FLOOR

## Silk Underwear

Ladies' All Silk Jersey Vests, bodice and band tops, in flesh, white, orchid, sky and black, \$1.79 to \$2.98

Ladies' All Silk Jersey Bloomers, in flesh, white, orchid, sky and black, \$2.49 to \$3.98

Ladies' All Silk Jersey Sport Knickers, in all the latest shades, \$3.98  
 Ladies' All Silk Jersey Petticoats, in navy, Belgian blue, henna, taupe, gray fringe bottom, \$4.25

## HANDKERCHIEFS

Women's Pure Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, each 19c to 75c

Men's Pure Linen Initialed Handkerchiefs, 29c, 35c, 50c and \$1.00

Men's Pure Linen Handkerchiefs, plain hem-stitched, 29c, 35c, 50c, 75c and \$1

Men's Plain Cotton Handkerchiefs and Tape Borders, 10c, 15c, 19c, 25c and 29c

Women's Hand Embroidered Lace Trimmed Handkerchiefs, all linen, in colors, 29c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.50, \$2.00

Women's Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, all linen, in colors, 25c, 29c, 35c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00

Women's Porto Rico Hand Embroidered Handkerchiefs, in white and colors, 60c, 59c, 75c, \$1.00, \$1.25, \$1.50 to \$2.00 Ea.

Suede Handkerchief Bracelets, very dainty and new. To hold your handkerchief, all colors, each 50c

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Children's Week Day Handkerchiefs, 7 in box, Box 65c and \$1.00

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Carved Ivory Beads, in 24 and 30-inch lengths, (graduated.) Prices range from \$1.25 to \$2.98

Hand Made Beaded Bags, imported, made with shell top or draw cord, \$6.98 and \$7.50

Silver Candle Sticks, in a variety of styles and sizes, each 59c to \$2.50

Colored Glass Novelties, comprising butter tubs, marmalade jars, syrup jars, powder jars, etc. Specially priced at \$1.25

Hand Bags of pin seal, beaver calf, Persian and other leathers. Some with leather lined flaps. All fitted bags, \$3.95  
 Dressy Bags of beaver calf, pin seal and velvet, fitted with swing purse and mirror, \$5.95

## Toilet Department

Perfume—All odors, 25c to \$5.50  
 Toilet Water—All odors, 25c to \$5.50  
 Children's Perfume and Combination Sets, 25c to 60c  
 Toilet Goods Sets—including powder, perfume, toilet water, talc and soap, 75c to \$1.00  
 Manicure Sets, 50c to \$1.50  
 Incense Sets—including burner and incense, 50c to \$2.00  
 Flaconettes, \$1.00 and \$1.50  
 Leather Manicure Roll-Ups—Ivory, shell and pearl handles, \$1.98 to \$16.98

12-Piece Ivory Set—Gray box, orange lining (very special.) These sets are limited in quantity, \$9.95

Military Sets—in shell, plain ivory or Dubarry pattern. Three to five pieces, \$8.98 to \$16.98 Per Set

Ivory Clocks—(These clocks are guaranteed) \$3.69 to \$7.00

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We Have a Complete Stock of Pyralin Ivory—in the plain and Dubarry patterns.

## STATIONERY

Correspondence Cards, 49c to 98c

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## Glove Department

Ladies' 2-Clasp Kid Gloves, black, white, gray, brown, tan, beaver, mole, fancy embroidered backs. Price \$2.50

Ladies' 2-Clasp Kid Gloves, Foxglove make, black and brown, \$2.25

Fancy Chamols Suede Gauntlet Gloves, tan and beaver, \$2.75

One-Clasp Cape-Skin Gloves, in tan and beaver. Price \$2.29

Street Floor

## INDUSTRIAL CONDITIONS ARE IMPROVING

(Special to The Sun).  
 BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Steady improvement in industrial conditions is indicated in reports made to the state department of labor and industries by establishments in this state from which the department collects statistics monthly.  
 The reports for the second week in November which were made by 299 establishments employing approximately 120,000 hands, and representing every major industry in the state, show that the payrolls for the week were 10.2 per cent higher than for the corresponding week in October in the same plants.  
 In its analysis of the reports, published today, the department points out that whereas in October the aggregate number of persons employed in the 292 plants was 119,633, in November those employed in the same plants numbered 132,361. The average wage paid in these industries in the November week was \$22.66, while in the October week it was only \$21.02, showing an average increase of \$1.64 per week.  
 The report points out, however, that it should be borne in mind that about three-fourths of the establishments reporting included payrolls for a week in October in which a holiday occurred, so that the actual average wage is probably about the same in both months.  
 It appears, however, that in a great many establishments efforts were made

by both employers and employees to minimize the effects of the cessation of operations on the holiday by making up the time on other days of the same week.  
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## AUTO TURNS TURTLE ON BILLERICA ROAD

A sedan automobile in which were riding a man and woman turned over on the Billerica road last evening, but no one was injured and the machine was but slightly damaged. It seems that the driver of the sedan applied the brakes too suddenly when passing an automobile operated by Normand Duchesne of 234 Siedman st., Chelsea, causing the auto to turn over. The accident was reported at the police station by Mr. Duchesne.  
 Robert Shaughnessy of Dorchester sustained a severe cut on the head late yesterday afternoon when he was struck by an automobile at the junction of Appleton and South streets. The driver of the auto was Maurice St. Leach of 65 Harris avenue, who claims that Shaughnessy, George Collins of 11 Fay street and John J. Hayden of 1614 Gorham street, were crossing the street when the automobile came along shortly before 6 o'clock. The other two men got out of the way, but Shaughnessy was struck. He was treated at St. John's hospital.  
 P. H. Hovey, a boy residing at 2 Fairmount st., was slightly injured about the head yesterday when while coasting on Oak street, he crashed into an automobile owned by the B. H. Wiggin Co. and operated by Jack Silk of 59 Jones street. The boy was taken to his home.

## Radio Broadcasts

STATION WGL, MEDFORD HILLSIDE  
 4.00 p. m.—I. Mid afternoon News Broadcast. II. Reproduction by the Chikering Ample and Brunswick 6.30 p. m.—Boston farmers' produce market report (\$85 meters). Market report—United States bureau of agricultural economics (450 meters). Chicago live stock market prices and conditions. b. Final review of day's prices and market conditions for Boston, Toledo and eggs.  
 6.00 p. m.—"General Conditions in the Shoe and Leather Industry," a weekly review by the New England Shoe and Leather association.  
 6.30 p. m.—Boston police reports, Boston police headquarters. Late news flashes—early sports news.  
 8.30 p. m.—Evening program. Concert by Joseph Mandolin club, Mrs. E. A. Savage, leader, Mr. Harold Osgood, pianist, Miss Winona Kay, soprano. "A Little Story".....Odell "The Home Town Band".....Wolfe Soprano solo.....Selected Miss Winona Kay "Heavenly Night"....."Tales of Hoffmann" Group of Popular Songs "Kentucky Babe".....Geibel "Oh Promise Me".....DeKoven Waltz.....Selected Mandolin Club Soprano solo.....Selected Miss Winona Kay Group of Christmas Carols. Mandolin Club  
 STATION WNAO, BOSTON  
 4 p. m.—Dance music by Shepard Colonial orchestra.  
 4.15 p. m.—Short talk on setting up exercises for women by Eleanor B. Cass.  
 4.30 p. m.—Dance music by the orchestra, followed by selections on the player piano.  
 7.15 p. m.—Bedtime story by Mrs. William H. Stewart.  
 7.25 p. m.—Entertainment program by Troop 4, Boy Scouts of America, of Roslindale.  
 STATION WRZ, SPRINGFIELD  
 7.30 p. m.—Bedtime story; market reports.  
 7.45 p. m.—"Of Interest to War Savings Stamp Holders," by F. C. Ayres, treasury department, commonwealth of Massachusetts.  
 8 p. m.—Breathing concert program.  
 STATION WGY, SCHENECTADY (402 Meters)  
 6 p. m.—Produce and stock market reports and quotations, news bulletin.  
 7.45 p. m.—Concert program, including the presentation of a Christmas play entitled "The Sign of the Cross."  
 STATION WJZ, NEWARK  
 4 p. m.—Closing stock prices; fashion talk.  
 6.30 p. m.—Closing prices on stocks, bonds, grain, coffee and sugar.  
 6.45 p. m.—Resume of sporting events.  
 6 p. m.—Musical program.  
 7 p. m.—Bedtime stories and songs.  
 8.30 p. m.—Evening concert.  
 9.55 p. m.—Arlington time signals.  
 10.01 p. m.—Continuation of concert program.  
 STATION KYW, CHICAGO (Central Time)  
 6.30 p. m.—News sports and stock market summaries; bedtime story.

## CONSTIPATION

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## RAOUL DIONNE IS ELECTED PRESIDENT

The annual election of officers for Club Citizens-Americans took place last evening at a largely attended meeting, which was held in the quarters of the organization in Middle street. The Australian ballot was used and the result was as follows:  
 Raoul Dionne, president; Alfred

Harnois, vice-president; Arthur Lavale, treasurer; J. A. Robillard, secretary; Charles Grenier, inside guard; J. Genest, Arthur Turcotte and Ugo Pavreau, directors for two years. The election was conducted under the direction of J. Omer Allard, John Durand, Troilo Bordenave, Henri Allard, and Vidal Mansou, who acted as election officers.  
 In the course of the meeting, which was presided over by President Dionne, several members were initiated and

routine business was transacted. It was announced that the installation will take place on the first Wednesday in January and will be followed by a social hour during which luncheon will be served and entertainment numbers will be given.

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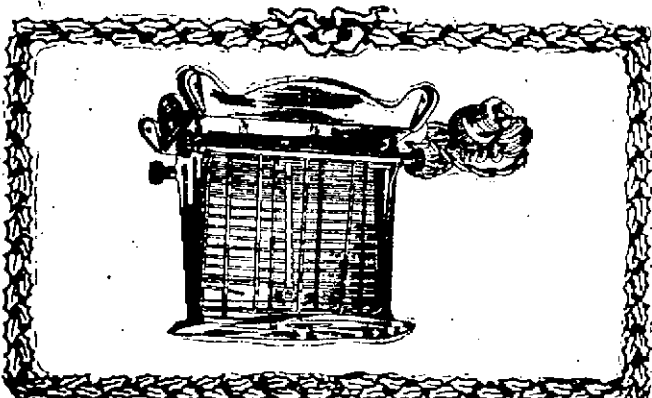
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## TO REQUIRE GENERAL LIABILITY INSURANCE

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—A bill to require general liability insurance of motor vehicle owners was filed in the legislature yesterday by Senator Abbott B. Rice. The bill, which would create a state automobile insurance board and establish an insurance fund, would entitle persons injured by automobiles, or their dependents, to indemnity from the commonwealth.

The amounts of indemnity would be based on the Workmen's Compensation law, with a maximum of \$5,000 for death, \$1,000 for incapacitation and the minimum indemnity fixed at \$100.

The premiums, to be paid to the registrar of motor vehicles at the time of registration, for the first year would be as follows:

Motorcycles, \$1; passenger cars, \$12; trucks, \$25. These rates would be revised yearly.

## "Our sink had such a horrid odor"

"Our kitchen sink became positively objectionable. We tried everything—poured in gallons of hot soda suds, ammonia, lye water. Nothing seemed to help. Finally, John sent for the plumber.

"He opened up the trap—the curved pipe under the sink. My dear! That's where the smell came from! I never knew a sink drain could be so dreadful.

"After the plumber left, the odor was not so bad for a while, but then it grew worse.

"I'm so proud of my clean, little kitchen. That sink made me too blue for anything.

"Last Thursday evening, the Lynns were over and Mrs. Lynn came into the kitchen to help me with the coffee and sandwiches.

"What a perfect dear of a kitchen you have," she said, going over to rinse her hands at the sink—and then I saw her smile fade.

"She is such a model housekeeper. I felt like crying. 'Oh, isn't it too dreadful!'—I managed to say. 'And we've done everything.'

"It was then she told me about Sylpho-Nathol.

"It didn't seem possible, but Mrs. Lynn had had a sink that smelled even worse, she said, than mine. And Sylpho-Nathol made it sweet and clean over night.

"Next morning, I phoned the grocer to include a bottle of Sylpho-Nathol in my order. Following directions on the package, I put a teaspoonful into a quart of warm water and poured the clean-smelling, pearly gray solution into the sink drain.

"From that minute, my sink has smelled just as sweet and clean as it always looked.

"I use Sylpho-Nathol in a lot of ways—for scrub water that not only cleans and sweetens, but destroys all kinds of germs; as a sprinkler that chases away flies, mosquitos, and other pests; for the laundry tubs, ice-box drains and garbage cans. And, of course, I use it regularly in the bathroom, around the toilet fixtures, and as a weekly flush for the closet bowls."

Sylpho-Nathol is 4½ times stronger than Carbolic Acid—yet is as safe to have in the house as a cake of soap. It comes in four handy sizes, 16c, 35c, 65c, \$1.25. Complete directions are on the bottle. Your grocer or druggist has it. If he hasn't, he can get it easily. Just ask for it by name—"Sylpho-Nathol."

## NOTABLE COLLECTION

Material Used By Primitive Tribes of Southern Cameroon Region Received

CAMBRIDGE, Dec. 11.—A collection of material illustrating the daily life of the primitive tribes of the Southern Cameroon region in West Africa, just received by the Peabody Museum at Harvard university, will be added to the museum's African collection, the third largest of its kind in the country. The Cameroon collection is believed to be without parallel in America.

The objects were collected for the museum by George Schwab, superintendent of the American Presbyterian mission schools in the Cameroons. Among them are several pre-historic stone axes and other stone implements such as are handed down from generation to generation in the native families to give good luck and to keep the dead from tormenting them.

Another feature of the collection is a number of diving sets, used by the superstitious natives to settle important questions in their daily lives. A typical diving set contains pieces of animals and natural objects regarded as representing the powers of the universe. A porcupine quill is included for its penetrating quality; a bit of a leopard's skin because the leopard represents strength; a stone from the stomach of a crocodile because of the local legend that a crocodile which has swallowed nine stones cannot be harmed; a piece of a hawk, which gathers everything in its talons, symbolizing the bringing to bear of all these forces. There are also crystals, representing the eye which sees everything and large numbers of ant-later scales cut and marked to represent events, courses of action, etc. This assortment is placed on a board, the scales are placed in a basket and shaken out; and the way in which the various fragments fall determines the answer to the problem.

The collection contains also a number of pipes of cast bronze, examples of the unusual work of this region, chairs, drums, fighting helmets, beaded collars, spear head money and "memory sticks."

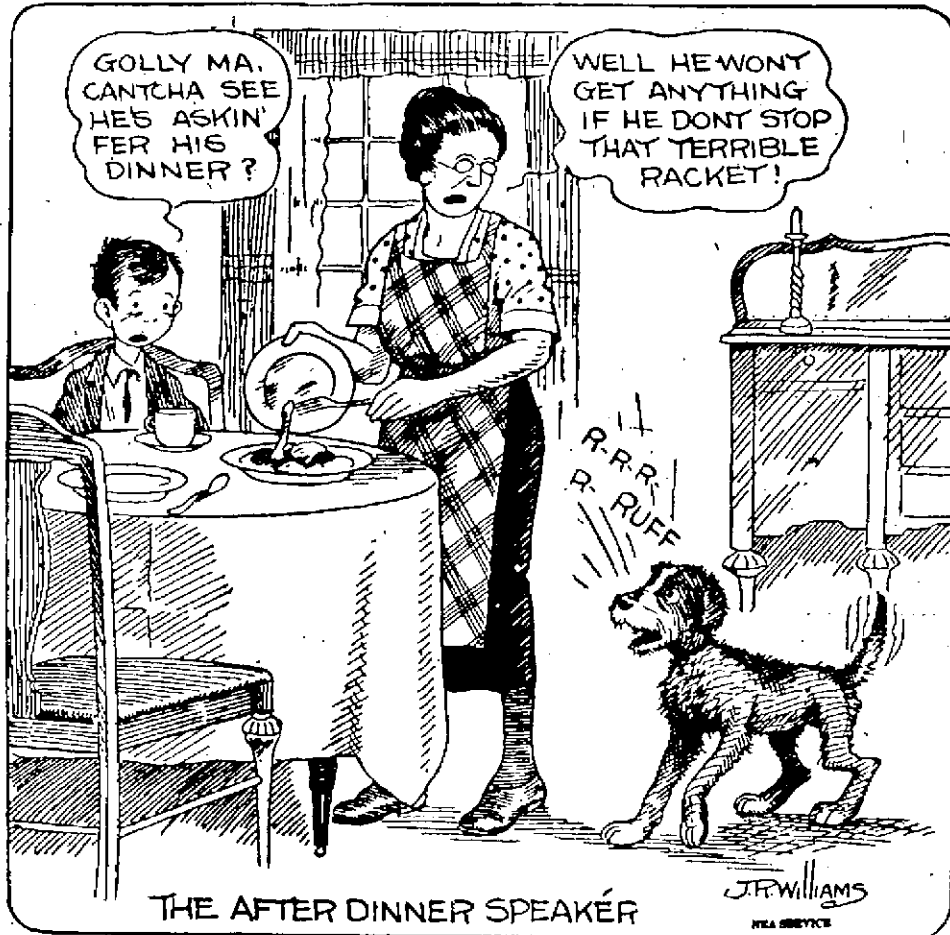
## NEW CLOSED REOS FILL REAL DEMAND

"We have a pair of closed cars now that fill a real demand," says Daniel E. McQuade, Lowell Reo distributor. "Many motorists, familiar with the smoothness of operation, the power and the durability of Reo passenger cars, have wished that Reo would produce a closed car selling under \$2000. They have appreciated the superb quality of the 'Series B' aluminum panel closed models, but have wished for a car combining the same fundamentals of closed car construction while using the less expensive materials where deference, to Reo's reputation would permit. Reo has now come forth with just such a car—the 'Series C' steel panel coupe and sedan. The same scientific principles that enter into the building of the best closed cars today govern the construction of these bodies. A rugged hardwood frame, braced with drop forgings—panels fitted to the frame and not supporting weight—frame joints first glued, then screwed or bolted—panel points open to allow for movement—a sound anchoring, semi-rigid roof—a drip moulding to carry away roof drainage—and many other features characteristic only of well-built bodies."

### FOR LADY NIC

New smoking jackets and suits for women, imported from England, show short coat and full trousers of velvet, brocade and satins, banded with fur and elaborately trimmed.

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THE AFTER DINNER SPEAKER

## MANY CHANGES IN CLOSED OAKLANDS

Six brand new Oakland cars, three open models and three closed cars, the complete new line for 1923, are now on the showroom floors of the Lowell Oakland Co. local distributors, at 311-313 Middlesex street. These models will be on exhibition all this week.

The closed cars arrived in the local freight yards Monday afternoon, and from the moment they were rolled onto the salesroom floor they have attracted much favorable comment. Particular attention has been paid to the new five-passenger coupe which in its appearance and appointments is one of the most remarkable cars that Oakland has ever produced.

In speaking of the new closed cars Arthur E. Pease of the Lowell Oakland Co. says:

"Both the five-passenger coupe and the sedan of the new Oakland 1923 series are distinctly new models. Their Fisher-built bodies are among the latest and finest work of this master body-builder—both in the rare beauty

of their interior lines and in the wealth and completeness of their interior appointments.

"Commendable in their arrangement, with ample room for all passengers; unusually comfortable in their riding qualities; quiet, smooth, and at all times dependable in their operation, these two new models offer to discriminating purchasers unusually wide seats, insuring the maximum of comfort. Large plate glass windows—operated mechanically—insure unobstructed view in all directions, with ample light and ventilation."

### DODGE SEDAN

This car has been an important factor in establishing the present day tendency to drive all winter, remarked Dan O'Dea of the Lowell Motor Mart. The close fitting curtains provide ample protection against wind and cold. The safety-tread cord tires minimize skidding and reduce tire trouble to its simplest terms.

And every owner appreciates the remarkable dependability of the starter. It responds quickly and quietly in the coldest weather.

## MAYOR CURLEY TO RUN FOR GOVERNOR

BOSTON, Dec. 13.—Mayor James M. Curley last night formally announced his candidacy for governor of Massachusetts in 1924. Speaking before a large gathering of supporters in the Elks hall he defied the Dolston finance commission and other agencies "which seek to block the path of progress for men in public service" and declared that his fight for governor was on.

### DUEL WITH PISTOLS

Dr. Brum and Dr. Herrera Exchange Shots

MONTEVIDEO, Uruguay, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press) Dr. Baltazar Brum, president of Uruguay, and Dr. Luis Alberto Herrera, former secretary of the legation at Washington, fought a duel with pistols late yesterday afternoon. Each man fired two shots. Neither was hit.

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## RECEIVE CALLS FOR AID

Humane Society is Endeavoring to Assist the Poor and Needy

Charitable men and women of ample means and kindly hearts have been calling or telephoning the headquarters of the Lowell Humane Society on Appleton street this week, desiring to obtain names of families in distress and aid them temporarily, if possible. Inquiries have been made by the Elks and other fraternal societies and several churches.

Agent C. F. Richardson has recently had presented to him for investigation aids from the dinner, Congress number of Lowell families burdened by extreme poverty due to unemployment, sorrow occasioned by shiftless husbands and fathers who drink intoxicating liquors and the blight of sickness and other troubles. These names have been furnished upon request to men and women with sympathetic leanings, and through the aid of the Humane Society and the charitably inclined, numerous Lowell homes where distress is rampant may be temporarily some degree of Yuletide happiness in relief of menacing conditions and stalled.

The local branch of the Humane Society has no assignment of funds

with which to carry on relief work at Christmas time or any other period of the year, insofar as supplying funds and necessities of family life are related. The society, however, receives numerous requests all through the year from unfortunate families who dislike to appeal directly to the city authorities or the regular charity institutions incorporated for this sort of work. Whenever the Humane Society can aid any family by calling attention to the case, referring it to the properly constituted authorities, it does so and gladly.

This week Agent Richardson has received calls from numerous applicants who never are afraid to enter the Humane Society offices and lay their cases before this officer of the humanity rescue force. He has in each case got immediately in touch with generous Lowell citizens anxious to learn of such cases, and relief has been rendered at once.

## Family Troubles Aired

Several cases of family disagreements and strained circumstances harbored closely upon actual starvation under the most pitiable conditions imaginable, have just been carefully investigated by the Humane Society agent and attended to.

This week a widow with five children to support, called for aid, with a story rarely equalled in many respects. She had been unable to obtain employment, the rent in a small Lowell tenement poorly furnished and equipped for living quarters is unpaid, and at the time the Humane Society agent was summoned there was no food of

any kind except a small amount of flour and a few pieces of bread crusts in the pantry. Fuel appeared to be out of the question, although small kindling had occasionally been found in a nearby vacant lot and had provided a little heat for one room.

The widowed mother was at the end of her resources, and a trip to her desolate home proved the truth of her story beyond question. Arrangements were made with a society sympathizer to provide immediate aid in the way of temporary fuel and food, and it is understood that the rent will be taken care of during the winter, or until the mother's health enables her to obtain some employment to provide for her family.

This case is typical of the number of similar cases brought to the attention of the Humane Society, where unfortunate persons have refrained from calling upon either the Salvation Army or the city authorities supposed to attend to relief in cases of absolute want and distress.

Another case involved a family with five children where the mother was having difficulty in finding enough to eat, with a leading husband accustomed to purchasing liquor freely almost every day and declining to work, claiming there was no work to be found anywhere in Lowell. When Agent Richardson investigated this case, the discovered the husband ensconced in a rocking chair reading a novel of the ten-cent grade. Advice was given here and some aid, and conditions are changed now following Mr. Richardson's reading of a lecture that cut four ways and went down deep. It is

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said that this novel reader found work the following day, and he has promised to refrain from moonshine or whatever he drinks, until after the Christmas holidays.

## Animals Rescued

Accompanied by a director of the society on Wednesday, last Agent Richardson made a hurried trip to So. Chelmsford, where, in the vicinity of Baptist pond not far from one of the Daniel Gage Ice house, an aged, though well fed and apparently servicable horse was found stabled in the open air with only a thin roof of pine slabs acting as a shelter. The weather was decidedly cold, snow lay everywhere, and icicles hung from portions of the roof. An old blanket partly covered the hind quarters of the horse, but that was the extent of the animal's shelter.

Reports had it from substantial citizens who took pains to notify the Humane Society, that the animal belonged to a man who was erecting a row of sheds along the shore of the pond for next summer's use. The animal was obliged to remain there practically night and day, being provided with a layer of straw at night to cover the frozen ground. But there was no shelter about the animal except the small roof overhead, the four posts of the temporary structure being bare of boarding or covers of any kind to keep out the elements that blew in across the cold waters of old Baptist pond.

How the animal managed to live nearly a week under such frightful conditions, with the mercury ranging around 15 and 20 above zero regularly, without an attack of pneumonia, the Humane Society officers and Chelmsford town officials do not attempt to fathom.

Chief Fred Vinal assisted the Humane Society agent and found the owner of the horse. The conversation was very brief and pointed, and the owner hurriedly promised to take the

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animal over to a nearby farmer's barn and keep him there. Not until the animal had been unfed and led away to its shelter, did the officers feel like taking the road back to Lowell, and the Chelmsford officer of the law had instructions to see that nothing like this happened again at Baptist pond or anywhere else within his jurisdiction.

## Other Animals Abused

Two cases of destitution where farm animals were involved, were also investigated during the past week and orders issued for their relief and proper feeding. In one case Agent Richardson provided funds from his own

pocket to help an unfortunate man who had been in difficulties a little beyond his depth through no actual fault of his own.

In the recent case of the slaughter of Chelmsford farm canines by boys with a shot gun—one animal being killed outright and four others badly maimed with buckshot—Agent Richardson, accompanied by Chief Vinal, visited the home of each boy concerned in the case of desecration, and also was compelled in the course of his official investigation for the Humane Society executives, to visit each home where the injured dogs were being given medical treatment and obtain other

information in order to handle the case in the local district court. All of this work is done without extra compensation, simply being in line with the general duties of handling such complaints of injury to dumb animals reported within the confines of the Lowell district of the dumb animal protective forces.

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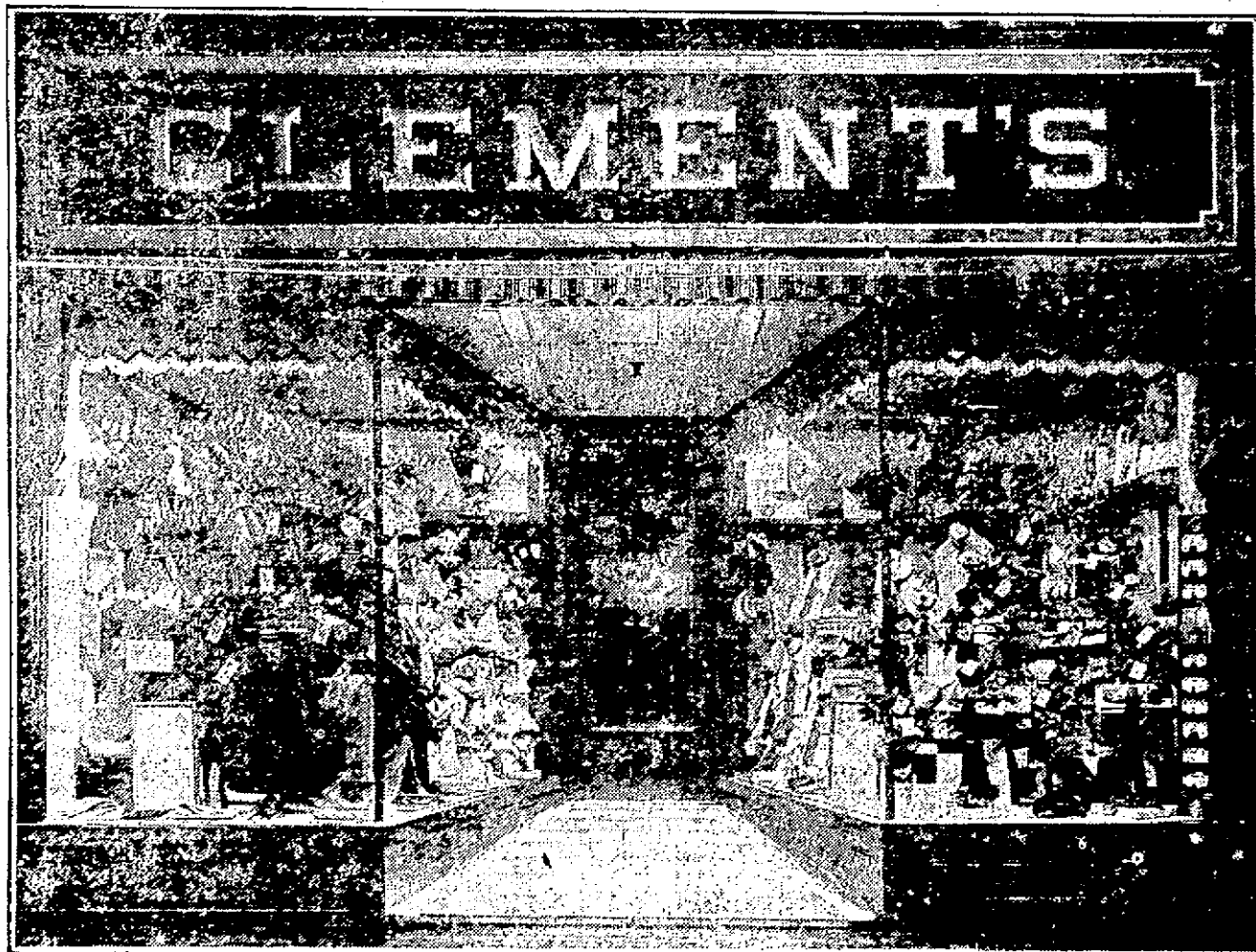
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## SEEK TO CAUSE WAR TO STIMULATE ARMS SALE

RIO JANTERO, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) An international band is seeking to cause war between South American nations as a stimulant to arms sales and a statement today by the chief of police of the faulero. The official declared his office had investigated rumors of such a band and had found it to exist. The statement declared the band merited "the immediate attention of the public powers."

It is said that members of the band are now working in Buenos Aires.

## FRATERNAL NEWS

At a recent meeting of Chevalier French Pythian Sisters the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Sister Dacheider, M.E.C., Sister Arnold, E. S., Sister Jolly, E. J., Sister Stanhope, manager; Sister Barnes, M. of R. and S. Sister Dixon, M. of R. Sister Scott, protector; Sister Eacrett, grand; Sister Porter, pianist; Sister Anderson, press correspondent; Sister Ita Johnson, trustee, and Sister Jeanette Johnson, mistress of degree.

Camp 4, Uniform Rank

The annual election of officers for Camp 4 Uniform Rank, I.O.O.F., M.U., was held at a recent meeting of the organization and resulted as follows: Edward J. Colby, captain; Harry Stack,

first lieutenant; William DeLong, second lieutenant; Peter Raucan, first sergeant; William Pomfret, chaplain; Harry Short, quartermaster sergeant; Raymond E. Fildell, clerk; Raymond Fildell, Harry Short and Philip B. Redden, entertainment committee.

Div. 11, A.O.H.

The result of the election of officers for Div. 11, A.O.H., which was held recently was as follows: James J. McManus, president; Patrick Flanick, vice-president; William Nelson, financial secretary; John Nealey, recording secretary; John B. Hickey, treasurer; Dennis Dyer, sergeant-at-arms; Frank McCarthy, sentinel; John McQueney, Patrick Flawley, Michael Bruin, Patrick Hickey and John Tatty, standing committee.

## AMUSEMENT NOTES

**B. F. KNITH'S THEATRE**

The deft touches which characterize "Rice and Old Shoes" at the B. F. Knith's theatre, this week, are numerous. And none of them is more to the point than the start of the honeymoon on a motorcycle. Harry J. Conley and Naomi Day play the roles. Another especially good turn is that of Sam Adams and J. D. Griffith, called "The Music of the Night." Both good music and side-splitting humor. The dancing demonstration of Misses Higgins and Bates is one of the best ever seen in a local theatre. It is a real program of dances in dissimilar styles. The remainder of the bill is of top-notch quality. William E. Fildell, a true surprise, and Will and Gladys Allen give a neat spinning performance. Brown and Powell are makers of pictures in sand and Walter Saxon and partner have a good cannibalistic novelty.

**RIALTO THEATRE**

Rea's well known production, "The Iron Trail," and Florence Vidor in the startling drama, "Woman Walks Up," are drawing to a close at the Rialto theatre after a successful run of two weeks. On the same program is a Harold Lloyd comedy, "Ketch #38000," also "The Perils of the Yukon," and the Rialto News Review.

**THE STRAND**

If you were ever troubled by a chiding conscience you will appreciate the situation in "Shadows of Conscience," the big Russell production to be shown at the Strand for the remainder of the week. The first performance will be given at today's matinee. A man carries the burden of having accused another of his own crime through many years and discovers at the end of the period that he himself is the greater sinner and not the man who was wronged.

In her latest picture production, "Divorce Coupons," Corinne Griffith strengthens her reputation as the "best dressed woman on the screen." Several roles has she worn such a dazzling array of creations. But apart from this interesting phase of the production, the story itself and the dramatic work of the star and those assisting is notable. It's a society drama, and it's the kind that has all of the interesting developments that are generally found in a high grade and entertaining film creation. The rest of the bill is of like standard.

**LOWELL ART ASSOCIATION**

The Lowell Art association opened its season at the Whittier house last evening with a private view of paintings and drawings of Italy by George L. Noyes and an illustrated talk on historic ruins of Greece and Sicily by Rev. A. C. McElferty. An informal reception to Mr. Noyes followed. The collection, particularly many pencil drawings, is an interesting one and will be open to the public daily, except Sundays, until further notice.

## LIQUOR DUMPED INTO THE SEA

Part of \$1,700,000 Cargo  
Destroyed by Members of  
Crew Off Freeport, L. I.

Crew Angered at Failure of  
Owners in New York to  
Send Food Supplies

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A part of a liquor cargo valued at \$1,700,000 at bootleg prices, has been dumped into the ocean off Freeport, L. I., according to a report received by Frank J. Hale and James R. Kerrigan, chief intelligence officers for the prohibition enforcement department. The whiskey, brought here from the Bahamas, was thrown overboard Tuesday when members of the rum-runner's crew were angered at failure of the cargo's owners in New York, either to get water and food supplies to the ship or to unload the liquor.

The vessel lay in the liquor camp grounds for several days, according to the federal agents, while small boats, operated by owners of the cargo, made futile efforts to run the government blockade and obtain the liquor.

After dumping the liquor the ship started on the return trip to the Bahamas, it was stated.

## JOSEPH LEVALLÉE FOUND NOT GUILTY

Joseph Levallée of Westford street, who was charged with manslaughter and operating a motor vehicle while under the influence of liquor, following an auto accident several weeks ago, on the Lawrence road, was tried before Judge Pierce in Methuen this morning. As the result of the accident Mary Dupuis died. Levallée was found not guilty on both charges and discharged. He was represented by Atty. Cornelius J. O'Neill.

**PRINCE REGENT BETTER**

TOKIO, Dec. 14. (By the Associated Press.)—Prince Regent Hirohito, who has been seriously ill with measles, was reported at noon today to be improving. His temperature which yesterday was around 104, has dropped to slightly more than 101 and his pulse which had been between 105 and 110 is now 86.

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## RECEIVE RED HAT AND ROCHET

Public Investiture by Pope  
Pius of Six of Eight New  
Cardinals in St. Peter's

Throng Attends First Public  
Consistory of Pius' Pontificate

ROME, Dec. 14.—(By the Associated Press.) Public investiture by Pope Pius of six of the eight new cardinals took place in St. Peter's today when at the first consistory of Pius' pontificate the recently created princes of the church received from the pontiff the red hat and the rochet, insignia of their elevation.

Cardinal Ledochowski and Cardinal Casanova were absent. They will be invested by the heads of their respective states, Portugal and Spain. Today's consistory was the first held for many years in the hall of the beautifications, which has been closed during the restoration of the ceiling. This work, however, was completed several months ago.

From almost the break of day, carriages, motors and cabs streamed along the road leading from the center of the city to the ancient Borgo where stand the apostolic palaces.

In the throng that hastened to St. Peter's were men in formal attire, women in black dresses and lace mantillas, papal diplomats, members of the Roman aristocracy and the more plainly dressed monks and nuns. Pius, wearing a red cape and mitre over his white vestments, was accompanied by his entire court.

As the pope took his seat beneath a canopy of violet silk and gold, behind which were hung priceless tapestries, the cardinals opened the consistory by kissing his hand. The new cardinals, each escorted by two cardinal deacons, were then led into the papal presence. Having deeply they knelt on the lowest step of the throne, and kissed the pontiff's foot, hand and cheek, retiring to a bench at the left of the choir.

Then, as they resumed their kneeling posture before the pope, the masters of the ceremonies drew over the shoulders of each the "capa magna" or magnificent scarlet coat of a cardinal and the pontiff, holding the red hat over their heads for a few moments, repeated the words of presentation to their high office.

After the papal benediction, the colorful procession re-formed, the pope returning to his apartments as the "Te Deum" sounded from the Sistine chapel.

**MASSACHUSETTS FORESTRY ASSOCIATION**

BOSTON, Dec. 14.—Harvey N. Shepard of Boston was elected president of the Massachusetts Forestry association at its annual meeting here today. The presidents include: Kelton B. Miller, Pittsfield; Walter C. Bayless, Taunton; Dudley J. Pickman, Beverly; Charles H. Kolb, Greenfield; Nathan D. Hill, Springfield and Joseph A. Skinner, South Hadley.

## Opposes Change in Transportation Act

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Daniel Willard, president of the Baltimore & Ohio railroad in an address prepared for delivery before the Advertising Club of New York today, declared he believed it would be a serious mistake to amend, at the present time, the transportation act of 1920. He said he did not consider the law perfect, but it "provides the best scheme of regulation so far developed and it has not yet had sufficient trial to enable us to determine wherein and to what extent, the act has failed, if at all." Mr. Willard said he felt that the farmers had suffered more than any other class or group through the readjustment following the war but doubted if the remedy is to be found in a mere reduction of railroad rates.

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## GEN. PERSHING WE SALUTE YOU!

Today, through the influence of the chamber of commerce, this city is to be honored by the presence of General Pershing, the gallant commander of the American Expeditionary Forces overseas in the World war, and whose co-operation with the allied forces, brought that titanic struggle to a speedy termination, although when our troops entered the conflict, the associated powers were fighting with their backs to the wall and with little or no hope of a real victory over the central powers.

As commander of the American troops in that war of all wars, General Pershing proved himself to be an able general who on all occasions reflected credit upon his country and met all the responsibilities of his high position with sound judgment and becoming dignity. There is nothing of the quack or the vain notoriety seeker in General Pershing's makeup. He has upheld the best traditions of the American army, and under him the American doughboy won world-wide admiration and renown.

Gen. Pershing is a gentleman as well as a gallant soldier and a genuine American, and as such he is cordially welcomed to our city as the honored guest of the chamber of commerce.

## IMPEACHMENT OF DAUGHTERY

The proposed impeachment of United States Attorney-General Daugherty on a variety of charges on his record, both before and since his appointment to his present office, will attract the earnest attention of the nation, for the reason that it has been instigated principally by the labor organizations of the country, which were incensed on account of the sweeping injunction secured by the attorney-general against the railroad strikers. The charges, which are thirteen in number, allege "serious misconduct in office highly prejudicial to the public interest and grave abuse of constitutional powers."

The bill providing for the impeachment is submitted by Congressman Keller of Minnesota and accuses the attorney-general of refusing to prosecute war grafters, the appointment of unworthy men to office, perversion of the public funds and paying men to shadow congressmen who had criticized the attorney-general; and finally, perversion of the process of justice as a means of favoring certain corporations, for instituting action for which there was no justification and the demanding against individuals certain processes of court, subversive of the rights of freedom of the press and peaceful assembly assured by the constitution and laws of the United States.

The main charge against Mr. Daugherty is based on the sweeping injunction against the railroad strikers. There is a charge that Mr. Daugherty, then a practicing attorney, deceived President Taft in a certain well known case; but it would appear that matters of this kind brought forth from a period antedating his present incumbency will be of secondary importance.

The whole proceedings will be of very general interest for the reason that while the constitution provides for such impeachment very few officials have been removed as a result of such prosecution. Several well known cases of historic interest are recalled, the principal of which was that of President Andrew Johnson in which the prosecution failed by a single vote.

## POISONOUS MOONSHINE

In the method of manufacturing moonshine found in operation by the seizure officers in South Chelmsford is shown the great danger that is incurred in using any of these substitutes for whiskey. Here a couple of young chaps were found redistilling various poisonous compounds and liniments in order to extract the alcohol, this method evidently having been supposed to be less liable to detection than that of obtaining alcohol from mash. But the work in which the mechanism of the finest laboratory and the skill of an experienced chemist would be required cannot be safely or properly conducted under the conditions revealed in this particular seizure. Therefore, the presumption is, that some of the poisonous ingredients remained or were liable to be retained in the redistilled alcohol, which was to be used in various forms of dilution for moonshine or substitute whiskey.

In Boston, a few weeks ago, quite a number of men were found dead, some on the streets, some at their homes, while many other cases were treated in the hospitals as a result of drinking bootleg whiskey. They may have been victims of this liquor made from alcohol extracted from various liniments manufactured for external use.

It is necessary to say that the person who ventures to drink such stuff takes very serious chances of entering upon that final sleep from which there is no waking.

It will be noticed that in the seizure referred to, many false labels were seized, thus showing that the stuff was to be sold for genuine liquor imported from Canada. The bootleggers are known to be practicing so many deceptions that the only safe course is not to touch moonshine or substitute whiskey, no matter how labeled. It is a counterfeit article and may be a deadly poison.

## WAITING STATION

It was on Saturday that The Sun announced that the Massachusetts Street Railway company had decided to leave the quarters in the Grovernor block for a waiting station. The deal is now in effect. The rooms will be convenient for those who take cars on Palgo street, but not for those who

## SEEN AND HEARD

Reader asks if a bald man has a permanent wave to his hair. Yes.

Wives are often better men than their husbands.

Most auto wrecks are nervous wrecks.

Many men opposed to labor unions wear union suits.

Many a man claiming to be young and active found himself slipping Tuesday morning.

The ubiquitous English sparrow is working its way around the world. It invaded Alaska during the last spring.

There is one ferry-boat that crosses the Hudson river from New Jersey to New York every morning followed by a flock of seagulls. For a number of years a commuter has brought along bread crumbs and has fed the gulls, hence the reason for the gulls never missing that particular boat.

R. B. Johnson of Bermuda, while visiting his son in Natick, was so impressed with the comforts of automobile riding, automobiles not being allowed in Bermuda, that he bought a machine, had the engine removed and an extra driver's seat put in its place, and is shipping it to Bermuda, where it will be drawn by a pair of horses.

## "The Humane View"

The partners, who were financiers, suspected the office boy of lampering with the petty cash. One of them wished to send for the police. The other, a more moderate man, was inclined to take a humane view of the situation. "No, no," he said, deliberately. "After all, we began in a small way ourselves."

## A Thought

"Trust me, that for the instructed, time will come when they shall meet no object but may teach some suffering to their minds."

Of human suffering or human joy. For them shall all things speak of man.

—WILLIAM WORDSWORTH

## One of Three

Not long ago a small boy made a woman angry and amused a whole car full of people. The boy was sitting quietly when a very stout woman entered the car. As nobody got up to give her a seat, she stood up, hanging on to a strap and enjoying all the looks and looks of the car. They had gone about a quarter of a mile, when the stout woman rose and in a whisper that could be heard by everybody, said: "I'll be one of three men to give the lady a seat."

## Youthful Financier

One day a father called his little daughter to him. "My dear," he said, "this morning a man offered me this room full of gold if I would sell your little brother. Now, that means gold enough to fill this room from wall to wall and from floor to ceiling. I'll sell your brother for that sum, shall I be able to buy everything in the world you want. Shall I sell him?" "No, papa," answered the little girl, promptly, and then, before her delighted father could embrace her for expressing so much affection, she went on: "Keep him till his bigger. He'll be worth more then."

## The "Devoted" Mother

In a poor parish in the east end of London a suburban bishop promised to address the women at a church meeting, and to make it easier for them to attend the lady church workers arranged to mind their babies in another room. Of course, it rained and the ladies thought their work would be greatly minimized; indeed, they very much doubted whether any babies would be brought to them at all. To their great surprise a loud knock was heard and a small child stumbled in, carrying a very fat baby. She looked nervous for a moment, and then blurted: "Please, ladies, will you tell the suffering bishop mother is very sorry it is too wet for her to go to the meeting, but she has sent the baby, and I will come for him later."

## Alias Santa Claus

Let us look behind the curtains. I in the windows of a home Where the hand of fate has left things in despair; Where there's light to keep up spirit, Though the wolf of hunger's near it; Let us look—and see what's happening in there.

Just some ragged little youngsters—Daddy's gone and mother's poor. But the youngsters are too small to understand. So they crawl from bed at night, And their faith dictates they write Just a list of things they want from Santa Land.

Then, alone, we find the mother, Who has read the Santa notes, And has realized the sadness drawing night. For her Christmas thoughts are, simply, Empty stockings, hanging limply; Broken hearts, unanswered wishes—and a sigh.

Santa fails where homes are poorly. But, can youngsters understand? Hardly so! Their faith is lasting in the cause. All their wishes; all their praying, Can be answered through our playing With our hearts and gifts the part of Santa Claus.

—JIAL COCHRAN

## NOTICE TO WORLD WAR VETERANS

Local veterans of the World war who believe they are entitled to vocational training by the government because of some handicap resulting from injury in the service must get their claims into the United States Veterans Bureau in Boston not later than Saturday.

The local office of the American Red Cross, located at 81 Merrimack street, will provide blanks and aid any veteran who has not yet applied for help and who desires it. Those who are sick or home will be visited by Red Cross representatives if proper notification is given.

## THE MAN ABOUT TOWN

Last Saturday afternoon the pistol, bowling and basketball teams of Battery B, 102 F. A. of this city made a flying trip to Gloucester, where they engaged in a series of matches with corresponding teams consisting of Battery A members of the regiment. The local boys returned into Saturday night flushed by two splendid victories out of three contests engaged in, and brought home enthusiastic accounts of the evening's hospitality proffered them by the Gloucester men, who proved to be royal entertainers. The boys of the local Battery spent the early part of the evening renewing old acquaintances near Barnstable, where the battery has spent the past two summers. The team from Lowell were led by Capt. George F. Hunt, Lieut. George W. Busley and Lieut. Hutton.

That was a good scheme of Major Walter R. Jones in visiting certain streets of the city where coasting is most frequently indulged in, and securing for the little lovers of the outdoors, safety from the many dangers of traffic on streets intersecting the sloping hills. There has always been more or less anxiety on the part of parents when their children went coasting, but through the efforts of the major, certain streets in the city have been allotted to the minimum amount of danger. These streets may be used for coasting between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m., the only provision being that coasters do not go beyond the limits designated or cross our tracks.

An ice storm always produces plenty of amusement for those who are able to see a joke. The one we had this week gave many employees of the John C. Thayer street car line a good laugh. Tuesday morning, many of the factory girls had gathered about the gate and were conversing a few minutes before it was time to go in to work. A taxi drove up. Immediately all of the girls were at attention. They were waiting for a taxi to see who was coming to work in a taxi. Several of the girls had sinking spells when the door opened and out tripped one of their own crowd who had taxied over from Davis square. The second laugh came when one of the office girls came riding in a dump car. The last laugh was registered when the superintendent was seen coming up the street on foot. He was taking most of the shivery places in that aspect. These three incidents served to start off the day in a jovial manner.

A municipal election has nothing on the election of officers in the high school, judging by the amount of political matter on exhibition in the corridors and meeting places of the school this week. This afternoon, the annual election of senior class officers was scheduled to take place and throughout the building, the supporters of this and that candidate were busy all morning lining up their forces for their favorite. Judging by the evidence in of aspirants for the honorable position of treasurer, the office must be a decidedly popular one, but then, who among us is averse to handling money?

In conversation with Headmaster Harris of the high school recently I was surprised to learn that the Lowell high school is, perhaps, the only institution of its kind in the country giving a three year diploma for a three year course. In most high schools, I am informed, a pupil is required to complete a full four-year course before he will receive recognition from higher institutions of learning, regardless of what his scholastic standing may have been in high school. And again the three year diploma often proves a hindrance to advancement. For example, some years ago, a graduate of the high school on a three-year diploma applied for a very lucrative teaching position in New Jersey, and although bright, capable and ambitious, the requirements of the law in that state exacted a four-year course in a reputable high school. As a result, the girl lost a wonderful opportunity. For such reasons as this it would seem that a four-year course should be encouraged as much as possible.

## AT THE FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

The Boston Jubilee quintet of negro singers entertained last evening at the meeting of the Round Table club of the First Baptist church, at which were members from other church clubs, including the Grace, Ellet and the Downtown Men's club of the First Congregational.

An upper preceded the entertainment and the evening was one of the most enjoyable in the history of the organization. At a brief business meeting it was announced that on Jan. 25 the Round Table club would be hosts to all the church clubs in the city at the Y.M.C.A. for which has been prepared an elaborate musical and athletic program.

## CHELMSFORD GIRL SOLOIST IN CANTATA

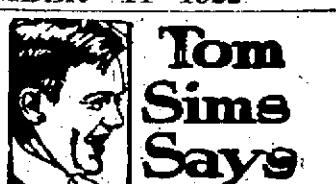
The girls of Boston University College of Liberal Arts Glee club will appear at the annual concert of the club Friday evening next, in Jacob Slocum Hall, Boston. Prof. John P. Marshall is coaching 30 girls in the club for the performance. The soloists in the "Grade songs of many nations," a genuine and recently published collection to present, will include Miss Eleanor Warren of Chelmsford, daughter of Arthur M. Warren, a well known citizen of this town. Miss Warren attended the Chelmsford public schools before entering Boston university and has been prominent in college social affairs since her entrance.

## PERFUMES For Gifts

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## HOWARD

Apothecary  
197 CENTRAL STREET



People saving for a rainy day find Christmas an annual cloudburst.

Eyeglasses are cheaper and now you don't have to look over the top so you won't wear them out.

Style hint: War graft suits are all the rage in Washington.

Some people remind us of auto tail lights because they only glow where they have been.

If you know a little boy and a little girl give the girl something the boy will enjoy breaking.

Honduras suggests a big Pan-American league, but America seems to get enough parking without this.

Give tight shoes. They look fine on and feel fine off.

Once you heard of people who had never seen a train, now you hear of children who have never seen a horse.

Bert Brown of Vermont killed a wildcat with his hands, so Bert will always have something to talk about.

Percolators are suitable gifts, but break when thrown at husbands.

Fire broke out in Wellesley, so Mr. A. R. See, who wants girls' schools burned, should be happy.

Have you a man friend you dislike? Give him a misused used car.

A Utah man has two extra ribs and should go well in a side show.

Refrigerator cars are handling Christmas mail, so try to keep cool until your packages come.

In Detroit, Ore., a cow eats all the soap she can find, so of course she gives clean milk.

Randell college is teaching women politics and the first lesson should be shaking hands.

"Movie," says a director "Art a gambler." They usually win by a full house.

Oregon boxer fights under the name of Broken Blossom and some day may have a nose like a rose.

Two dozen jugs for putting liquids in make excellent gifts.

Have you a girl friend you dislike? Why not give her a vanity case without a mirror?

## LOWELL HISTORICAL SOCIETY MEETING

A regular meeting of the Lowell Historical society was held last night in Memorial hall where a large turnout of members gathered for a most enjoyable hour or two. President Alfred P. Sawyer presided. Following a reading of various reports the following three people were admitted to membership: Lucius A. Derby, James C. Warner and Mrs. Emma H. Perkins.

Miss Mary A. Webster, a graduate of Lowell high in 1888, and for many years a teacher in the school, read a paper which dealt in a humorous vein with the history of the school. She was accorded a vote of thanks.

A portrait of the late Benjamin Walker, president of the society from 1893 to 1896 was presented to the society by Frederic P. Marble. A pen and ink copy of the Lord's prayer by Lowell Lincoln was presented by Mrs. R.

## Berton Bralley's Daily Poem To the Traffic Cop

Dear Officer: I understand How much you aid the motor traffic, I honor your uplifted hand And all your signals, clear and graphic. By no means do I hold you cheap; Without your traffic's always tangled, I value much the way you keep Pedestrians from getting mangled.

But when I read your signals wrong, As one will do on some occasion, You needn't make your voice so strong; I can respond to mild persuasion. If I am reckless, you may shout. No doubt that carries more conviction; But why so hoarsely bawl me out For every minor dereliction?

I don't intend to break the law, And if I do—you can arrest me. But otherwise, why break your jaw Abusing me? If you will test me With language moderate, though stern, You'll find it really quite effective. Yes, honestly, you needn't burn My ears with purple-tinted invective!

I try to do what you direct I recognize your legal rights, and In return mayn't I expect Perhaps a little more politeness? I'm not a crook, of wicked crimes I am by no means a contriver; Treat me with courtesy, at times I am, yours truly, Any Driver.

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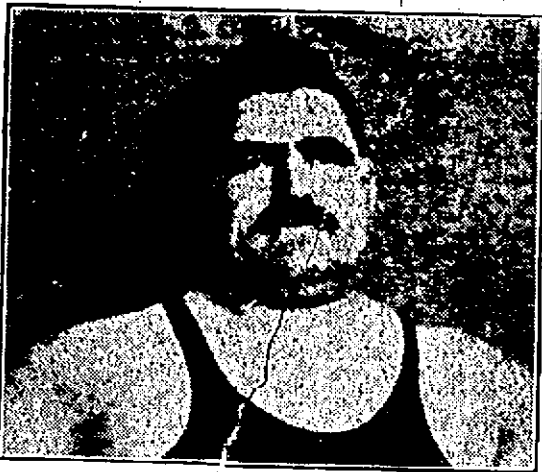
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## Glaza to Wrestle Silva



SILVA, WHO WILL MEET CALZA HERE TOMORROW NIGHT

Calza, the Italian wrestling champion, who has created a sensation in Boston, will make his first appearance in Lowell on Friday night, when he will come to town to meet Silva, the Portuguese gladiator, in a match to a finish in Colonial Theatre Hall, Middlesex street.

Calza, a few years ago unknown to wrestling fans, has been the leader with remarkable speed and is looked upon today as among the leading men of the country. In tackling Silva he will meet a big, rugged fellow, who is also regarded as a class performer.

## PRESENTED LOVING CUP

Big Reception Tendered St. Peter's Cadets' Champion Football Team

Having been generally conceded the 135-140 pound football championship of the state members of the St. Peter's Cadets' team of this city were tendered a reception, in the form of an entertainment and dance, in Lincoln hall last night, and with several hundred friends, celebrated their triumph in impressive style. The feature of the celebration was the presentation of a beautiful silver loving cup, emblematic of their achievement, by Frank Ricard, who personally made the award. The trophy was accepted on behalf of the team by George Dugan, who then presented it to Rev. John M. Manion, spiritual director of the organization and an active supporter of Cadet athletics.

During an intermission in the program, the entire personnel of the champion football team appeared on the stage platform and received the congratulations of the assembly, which showed its approval of the young warriors' activities with a volley of cheers. The 1922 Cadet team consisted of the following players, each of whom contributed his share to the success of the club:

Centers, George Nevill, Thomas Kane and James O'Neill; guards, Edward Welch, Walter Kelly, Fred Greene and Edward Flanagan; tackles, James Busby, Fred Homan, James O'Grady and William Conant; ends, Fred Crowe, George Barron and John Kennebec; backs, James Loughlin, Patrick Mahoney, Sylvester O'Toole, Alphonse Melio, Geo. Scully and Francis Regan.

Several pleasing, vocal and instrumental selections were rendered during the evening, the following contributing to the festive program: Songs, J. Longley; piano selections, Miss Anna Donahue; songs and specialties, Jack McCardle; songs, Miss Olin; saxophone and violin selections, the Mulligan sisters, accompanied by Miss Donahue; piano selections, Miss Albina Garrity; songs, Geo. Carr, accompanied by Miss Garrity; songs, Miss Dorothy Eastham accompanied by Miss Gertrude Eastham and songs, John P. Roane, Jr.

The committee on arrangements consisted of James O'Grady and Joseph Regan, assisted by Miss Alice Donahue.

**BASKETBALL**  
**START PLAY**  
When is the proper time for the referee to blow his whistle when he puts the ball in play in the center? The referee shouldn't blow his whistle until the ball has reached its highest point, at which time it must be tapped by either of the centers before touching the ground in order to be put into play.

**CENTERS**  
What is the proper thing for the referee to do, if the ball after being put in play in the center touches the floor without either center having touched it? The referee shall simply put it in play again in the same manner at the same place.

**BALL IN PLAY**  
How is the ball put into play after it goes out of bounds? That is up to the player. He can either throw, bounce or roll the ball to another player within the court.

**OPPONENTS' HALL**  
When a ball goes out of bounds, how does the referee decide who shall put the ball in play? It is customary for the referee when the ball goes out of bounds to select an opponent who is near the spot where the ball left the court.

**GROVE A. C. HAS BASKETBALL TEAM**  
The Grove A. C. wishes to announce that it has formed a basketball team and is now ready to meet any team in the city weighing 130 pounds. Among the Grove players are Kenner, Curtin, Clark and Duane. They formerly of Holy Angels' college, Buffalo, N. Y. L. Sullivan, star forward of the Vocational school five years ago, and Sam Sheehan of the Sacred Heart's. Challenges will be answered through this paper.

**MOODY CLUB**  
**CRESCENT RINK, TONIGHT**  
Billy Murphy—Billy Fitzsimmons  
Lowell New York  
Kid Lewis vs. Frankie Johnson  
Nick Stadsone vs. Kid Moran  
Bob Ambrose vs. Bob Conlon

**WRESTLING**  
**COLONIAL THEATRE**  
Middlesex Street  
**FRIDAY, DECEMBER 15TH**  
SILVA vs. CALZA  
JOE BISS vs. GOTCH  
Admission 50c, 85c; Ringside \$1.15

**POLO—FRIDAY**  
New Bedford with Duggan vs. Lowell with Williams  
Crescent Rink, 8.15  
Tickets 35c, 55c and 65c  
On sale in advance at Crescent Alley

## BIG BOUT ON TONIGHT

Billy Murphy of the Acre Tackles Billy Fitzsimmons in Main Bout

The stage is all set for the Billy Murphy-Billy Fitzsimmons bout at the Crescent rink tonight and fans look forward to the battle as one of the most important of the season.

Murphy, the local boy, who since entering the ring has had wonderful success, defeating every opponent he has faced, will find in Fitzsimmons his most formidable antagonist. Fitzsimmons has an impressive record, one well known to all Lowell fans. He has boxed here and his rapid striking has been well remembered by all who watched him go through two hurricane encounters with Staten Island Billy Murphy.

But greater and more brilliant achievements are contained in his record book. The most notable, perhaps, is a referee's decision over Joe Lynch. This occurred two years ago and reports of the battle say it was one replete with thrills and sensational endeavor with Fitz well in the lead virtually all the way. "Pepper" Martin is another notable whom Fitz won over.

Since it Murphy can succeed in winning over man of Fitzsimmons' reputation his success is assured. Several Boston promoters are to be at the ring-side tonight to watch the Lowell boy whose fame has spread throughout New England.

The other bouts on the card are: Lewis vs. Frankie Johnson, Nick Stadsone vs. Kid Moran and Bob Ambrose vs. Bob Conlon.

**LYNCH—SMITH BOUT**  
NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The state athletic commission has announced that it will not interfere with the world's bantamweight championship to be held between Lynch and Smith here Dec. 22. Doubt had been expressed in boxing circles that the match would be sanctioned by the New York commission in view of the fact that Smith is under suspension by the New Jersey state athletic commission.

**For a couple of years football fans of the country have been reading in particular have been reading of the remarkable gridiron feats of Brick Muller. Pacific coast enthusiasts have had many opportunities to see the marvelous Muller in action, for Brick is a member of the University of California team.**

Muller, who is one of the greatest all-round athletes the west has ever produced—no shines on the ball field and track as well as the gridiron—has been selected to play in a game for charity, staged at Coliseum O.

Naturally Muller carried the big purse of the game, and the fans were thrilled at the galaxy of stars gathered together for the event. Muller was the main attraction.

The fans came to see Muller shine, usually the big stars in any sport, "digger" when much is expected. Just harkened back to the world series and Babe Ruth for convincing evidence.

It was poetic justice that Muller should be the star of that game, that Muller should score the only touchdown, and recover a blocked kick, and running the remaining 70 yards to the opponents' goal.

## CHAMPION DOG SOLD FOR CIGARET

OAKLAND, Cal., Dec. 14.—"Oakland Honey," sleek lined and slender, fleet-footed greyhound was sold for a cigarette when she was a puppy.

Today she's worth a small tobacco factory—\$300 here.

For she had turned out to be the fastest dog in the land, recent winner of the famous Waterloo cup.

The story of "Oakland Honey" is the story of blood that told of the "under dog" that made grin gameness surmount physical obstacles.

**Sold For a Cigarette**  
Although her mother, "Oakland Dandy," had produced a long line of speedy stoppers, "Honey" had seemed in puppyhood to be the least prepossessing.

One day John Goularte, street car conductor by trade and dog lover by heart, met a friend to whom he had promised one of "Dandy's" offspring.

"Give me a dog," said Goularte. "Choose a dog," said the friend. And thus, in an exchange of unromantic commonplace, was "Honey" started on her career. At an early age she showed signs of distinction. It may have been that her high-strung nature was heating the first call of the coursing track. Anyway, she was sold for \$20 to the George Heintz kennel. Heintz knows dogs. That's his business. He took "Honey" in hand, trained her and gave her expert care. She stepped quickly out to minor victories.

**Ferred For Her Size**  
"You're game, old girl," Heintz would tell her. "But you're undersized."

If you only weren't so doggone small, you'd show 'em all!

An intelligent dog, knew pretty well what he meant. She weighed but 41 pounds; she was an unfortunate accident in a famed family—born with the blood but not the bulk of the mother.

Nevertheless Heintz sent her to the Waterloo cup races in Mississippi, where were 125 entries, including the best that Ireland and England could send.

"They tell the story of how she showed her heels to 'Dashing Moore,' 'Western Baron,' 'Oakland Hat,' 'Buckshaw,' 'Reporter'—the best greyhounds in dogdom. Just guess that 'Honey' was buying his own cigarettes, nowadays.

**WORCESTER WINS OVER MAJOR LEAGUES IN JOINT SESSION**  
PROVIDENCE, 4 TO 3

**POLO LEAGUE STANDING**

Team	Won	Lost	P.C.
New Bedford	12	8	65.2
Salem	12	9	56.5
Worcester	14	12	63.8
Providence	14	14	54.5
Lowell	10	13	43.5
Portland	8	11	36.4

**GAMES TONIGHT**  
New Bedford at Salem.

## WORCESTER WINS OVER MAJOR LEAGUES

PROVIDENCE, 4 TO 3

**Both Leagues Closed Sessions Yesterday — Landis Presides at Today's Meeting**

To Discuss Further Restrictions on Late Season Sales and Trades

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—Sessions of major league club owners in New York will be brought to a conclusion today with a joint session of the American and National leagues, presided over by Commissioner Kenesaw Mountain Landis.

Both leagues closed their annual meetings yesterday.

Prominent among topics slated for discussion at the joint session were further restrictions on late season sales and trades, a proposal to again extend the world's series from seven to nine games; and alleged gambling in major league parks, upon which President Johnson of the American league is expected to urge action.

It was also indicated that the magnates would decide details of the distribution of charity of \$120,000, receipts of the tie world series game last October, and set on a plan to settle inter-league matters between annual meetings by mail vote instead of special sessions.

The National league yesterday fixed Jan. 25 as the latest date for intra-league deals involving more than one waiver price, but the American league took no action toward changing the present time limit of Aug. 1. Commissioner Johnson of the American league was understood to be strongly opposed to trades or purchases adding decisive strength to pennant contenders at critical stages of league races. This issue was brought to the front during the past season because of the late season purchases by which the Yankees acquired Dugan and the Giants got Hugh McCullum, both from Boston clubs, at times when the pennant contests were in doubt.

The joint session was understood to be held to support by National league club owners but opposed by President Johnson of the American league and Commissioner Landis.

**BOWLING NOTES**  
There were four league contests on the local alleys last night. The scores:

**U. S. WOUNDED CO. LEAGUE**  
**TEAM 2**

W. Rheault	92	100	80	281
J. Gault	88	112	84	284
Nugent	87	88	92	267
A. Dean	82	91	85	258
W. Beauchamp	84	95	75	254
Totals	433	495	416	1372

**TEAM 1**

S. Unten	82	86	76	244
F. Robinson	71	103	102	276
J. Gault	85	85	91	261
A. Walker	59	92	100	251
Totals	423	467	469	1354

**TEAM 4**

J. Blackwood	81	107	271
F. Krawczyk	80	118	297
D. Molloy	82	84	101
J. Wagner	84	83	94
L. Graves	85	92	261
Totals	433	465	1353

**TEAM 3**

H. Graves	80	80	96
J. Gault	74	83	94
R. Roberts	82	82	93
O. Beauchamp	80	92	90
P. Breaud	83	83	111
Totals	419	430	1315

## CHAMPION 'GREYHOUND, 'OAKLAND' HONEY"

conductor by trade and dog lover by heart, met a friend to whom he had promised one of "Dandy's" offspring.

"Give me a dog," said Goularte. "Choose a dog," said the friend. And thus, in an exchange of unromantic commonplace, was "Honey" started on her career. At an early age she showed signs of distinction. It may have been that her high-strung nature was heating the first call of the coursing track. Anyway, she was sold for \$20 to the George Heintz kennel. Heintz knows dogs. That's his business. He took "Honey" in hand, trained her and gave her expert care. She stepped quickly out to minor victories.

**Ferred For Her Size**  
"You're game, old girl," Heintz would tell her. "But you're undersized."

If you only weren't so doggone small, you'd show 'em all!

An intelligent dog, knew pretty well what he meant. She weighed but 41 pounds; she was an unfortunate accident in a famed family—born with the blood but not the bulk of the mother.

Nevertheless Heintz sent her to the Waterloo cup races in Mississippi, where were 125 entries, including the best that Ireland and England could send.

"They tell the story of how she showed her heels to 'Dashing Moore,' 'Western Baron,' 'Oakland Hat,' 'Buckshaw,' 'Reporter'—the best greyhounds in dogdom. Just guess that 'Honey' was buying his own cigarettes, nowadays.

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**POLO LEAGUE STANDING**

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## FORMER COLLEGE TO LEAD WOOSTER TEAM

(By NEA Service)  
WORCESTER, Dec. 13.—When this burg decided to get back on the baseball map by purchasing a franchise in the Eastern league, Eddie Eays was selected as the man to put it over. He will manage the team. Eays was a baseball sensation at



EDDIE EAYS

Brown university a decade ago. Pitts-burgh paid a fancy price for him. Later he was sent to Boston in the National league.

Last season New Haven bought him for \$4000, said to be the largest amount ever paid for a player by an Eastern league club.

Eays has political aspirations. He had practically decided to give up baseball and run for a berth in the Rhode Island senate this home in Providence, when the offer came to manage Worcester. It was so alluring that he decided to pass up politics, for a while at least.

Always a good hitter, Eays finished last season with a batting average of .325. He will fill the role of playing manager.

## DONOVAN HOLDS OUTDOOR RALLIES

John J. Donovan, candidate for mayor, took the stump last night and was

most warmly greeted by large crowds in several sections of the city. This was Mr. Donovan's first appearance at an open air rally since he received the nomination.

According to his custom he made his start at the corner of Broadway and Willis streets. There is more or less sentiment attached to this point of the city for it is here that Mr. Donovan has made his first speech in all of his campaigns.

His speech was forceful throughout. He thanked his listeners for the splendid vote given him in the primaries and said that it was a vote of confidence in him. He explained that there were two ways to campaign for mayor, one to be on the level with yourself, and the people you ask to vote for you. He said that the other way was to be an opportunist and a gymnastic performer, seeking to obtain votes by methods that insult the intelligence of right-thinking men and women.

## Legal Notices

Commonwealth of Massachusetts—Middlesex ss. Probate Court.  
To Anne T. Sullivan, of Lowell, in the County of Middlesex, and Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

You are appointed administratrix of the estate of Esther C. Sullivan, late of Lowell, in said County of Middlesex, deceased, intestate.

And you are required to make and return to said Probate Court, within three months from the date hereof, a true and correct inventory of the real and personal estate of said deceased which at the time of the making of such inventory shall have come to your possession or knowledge.

To administer according to law all the personal estate of said deceased which may come to your possession, or that of any person for you, and also the proceeds of any or of the real estate of said deceased that may be sold or mortgaged by you.

To render, upon oath, a true account of your administration, at least once a year, until your trust is fulfilled, unless excused therefrom, in any year, by said Court.

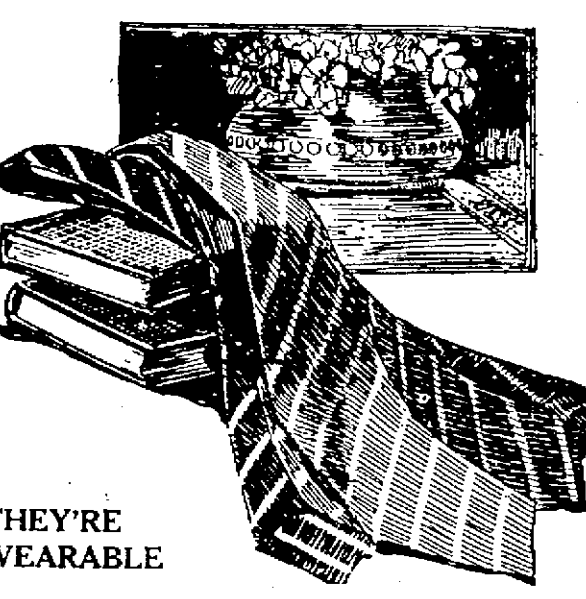
To deliver these letters of administration into said Court, in case any will of said deceased shall be hereafter duly proved and allowed.

And also, within three months, to cause notice of your appointment to be posted in two or more public places in the city or town in which said deceased last dwelt, or cause the same to be published once in each week for three successive weeks in the Lowell Sun, a newspaper published in Lowell and to return your affidavit of having given such notice, with a copy thereof, to the Probate Court.

Witness, George F. Lawton, Esquire, First Judge of said Court at Lowell, this twenty-first day of November in the year of our Lord one thousand and nine hundred and twenty-two.

F. M. BERRY, Register.

## Christmas for Men



Thousands and thousands to choose from. The largest assortment; the widest variety; displayed so that you can see them. A "sunlight" light, to enable you to get the true sunlight colorings, under artificial light.

## Neckties

Plenty of Them—at

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Hand-loomed neckwear, the designs of the Genoa Motifs are taken from St. George's Palace at Genoa, Italy.

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Make Your Shoes Waterproof  
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Cans... 19¢, 31¢, 78¢  
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TO MARKET PRODUCTS

Pres. Harding Praises Movement of Co-operative Organization of Farmers

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THIRTEEN CLUB CHASES JINX OF BAD LUCK

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The jinx of bad luck collapsed today as the thirteen club started on its fourteenth year of existence.

The club held its 13th annual dinner last night, the 13th of December. It began at 11 minutes to 8 and ended at 13 minutes after 12.

The dinner entered the banquet hall by walking under a ladder and sat with 12 open umbrellas and 13 skeletons in the room.

Every member tempted fate in some way. Every possible superstition was given a tryout from breaking a mirror to tipping over the salt, and then, as the banquet ended, two members took chairs and waited for jinxes to appear and accept the challenges.

At midnight the two disgusted tempters, tired but happy, snapped their fingers at fate and left for home.

ORDERS WILLIAM LINDE DEPORTED

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—A board of special inquiry has excluded from the United States William Linde, sometimes known as Wolfe Lindenfeld. He was brought to this country by the department of justice in connection with the World Bank scandal.

On Sept. 16, 1920, and has been detained at Ellis Island since Thanksgiving day. It is said to be probable that William Linde, chief of the department of justice, may appeal from the decision of the board in an effort to hold Linde for further investigation.

VISITED CHELMSFORD STREET HOSPITAL

About 25 members of the St. Vincent de Paul society, headed by Humphrey O'Sullivan and Maurice Leimbert, visited the Chelmsford Street hospital yesterday afternoon and were taken on a tour of inspection by Superintendent Joseph H. Gormley.

In several of the departments, Messrs. O'Sullivan and Leimbert addressed the inmates and expressed general satisfaction with conditions in the hospital. On Christmas day, the St. Vincent de Paul society will present each patient of the hospital with an appropriate gift.

Women Stabbed With Poison Needles

PARIS, Dec. 14.—The theory was advanced today that one reason why the police have made no progress in solving the mystery of the increasing numbers of women stabbed with poison needles was because the "needle demons" were using air pistols.

Another aspect of this particular crime wave is that many of the women examined by police matrons show no signs of wounds. The police claim this is due to auto-suggestion by women in terror of the stabbers. Some of these women, when jostled in crowds, make an outcry and often demand the arrest of innocent men. They insist they have been stabbed and complain of severe pain, but when examined, no traces are found of needle wounds.

Shoe Workers' Strike in Cincinnati Ends

CINCINNATI, Dec. 14.—Settlement of the shoe workers' strike in Cincinnati, which at its peak, affected approximately 6500 workers, was announced last night, following a conference of employees' representatives and manufacturers.

A wage scale representing a reduction of 5 per cent on regular work, and 10 per cent on case lots, was agreed upon, the manufacturers agreeing to take back as many of their former workers as possible. The workers went on strike when the manufacturers announced a wage cut of 10 per cent, effective last May 1.

Vanderbilt Buys Famous Schooner

NEW YORK, Dec. 14.—The three masted schooner yacht Atlantic, winner of the race across the Atlantic ocean in 1905 for the cup offered by the then German emperor, has been purchased by Cornelius Vanderbilt, it was learned today. The vessel was purchased from Nicholas F. and James C. Brady. The price was not disclosed.

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CONCERT AT AUDITORIUM AT GREENHALL SCHOOL

Splendid Entertainment Under Auspices of Middlesex North Agricultural Society

It was "Neighbors' Night" at the Memorial Auditorium last evening with the genial members of the Middlesex North Agricultural Society hosts on the eve of Yuletide for more than 1000 guests, old and new, officers of the society, now an organization invigorated by memorable activities of recent date and with a steadily increasing membership, acted as hosts in chief for the "farmers' concert," as the invitations sent out termed it, and the excellent entertainment was provided by distinguished singers and musicians from Boston proved a decidedly attractive drawing card for lovers of concert music of the very highest type and quality.

The cordial invitations issued early in the month by the agricultural society officers and special entertainment committee to the people of Middlesex county to partake of last night's offerings in first-class concert entertainment without charge were gratefully accepted by a host of men, women and children of city and country. From the outside, as such as Chetwood, Dr. J. C. Towsbury, Westford, Tynsboro, Pelham, and even far away Dunstable and Carlisle, came many throngs of the soil and life-long friends and patrons of the old Middlesex society, as in the days of yore when similar events were frequently on the calendar.

The revival of interest in the historic society that is now cultivating extensive plans for 1923 campaign along more modern highways of activities in the realm of agriculture as well as social programs, was indicated forcefully last evening when the Beechwood male quartet of Boston was presented to music-lovers in an interesting pot-pourri of good things vocal and instrumental. Prominent last night in the audience that nearly filled "downstairs" and found seats in the balcony and similar members of the Pomona brand from nearby towns, Colburns, Marshalls, Pratts, Thompsons, Taylors, Whitings, Truhs, Edwards, Ellises, Reeds, Nickels—all were there to the delight of Secretary Dickinson and his able assistants who have worked hard to make this first social event of the winter season in Middlesex North entertainment circles a top-notch affair.

The splendid concert offering must be awarded full appreciation. Charming numbers were included in the program and the singing was of the highest order. There were songs of simple melodies on the list, numbers easily appreciated and containing tender sentiments in each one, from "Bonnie Sweet Bessie" and "Flow Gently, Sweet Afton" to "Come in Thru the Rye." Renditions by Miss Gow were thoroughly captivating in style and eloquence and sang with proper melody, an excellent tenor being in the line, with a splendid baritone. The quartet showed long experience and practice, all offerings being enjoyed because of the smoothness of the vocal tones and the harmony of all times. Gentle melody and sentiment. Memories of bygone days were brought back by the "Shadows of the Evening" and a witt number that ended the evening's concert.

Before introducing the quartet to the agricultural society guests last evening, Secretary Dickinson thanked all who came out to partake of the society's Yuletide welcome, declaring that the substantial response to the organization's invitations freely extended to all, was greatly appreciated and that the first winter meeting of the Middlesex North Agricultural Institute would be held at the Congregational church, Billerica, all day, Tuesday, Jan. 2, with excellent programs morning and noon and a farmers' dinner at noon.

The afternoon program will include music and a special address on current affairs relating to rural life and the soil.

In February, date to be announced, the second institute will be conducted in this city and program have not yet been decided upon, but details will be published in the newspapers in ample time for this second institute session, the secretary said.

LOWELL MAN FINED AND SENTENCED

Anthony Medina was sentenced to serve one month in the house of correction and to pay a fine of \$50 as the result of his appearance in the superior court yesterday in answer to a charge of illegal keeping. It will be remembered that the defendant's home in Middlesex place was raided one Saturday afternoon several weeks ago and from it taken a large quantity of beer and other contraband liquors. Medina appeared in the local court and was fined \$100 and sentenced to the house of correction for three months. He appeared yesterday, pleaded guilty and was accorded the good will of the court inasmuch as he saved the county the expense of a trial.

A number of other liquor cases that were scheduled for yesterday were put off until a later date. Some of the liquor squad went to court yesterday as there are several liquor cases to be tried. There is a possibility that the officers will not finish today and will have to go down again tomorrow.

NAMED BY THE PEOPLE

Over 67 years ago Rev. Father John O'Brien of Lowell, Mass., recommended to his parishioners and friends the prescription that restored him to health and strength so the people named it Father John's Medicine. It relieves colds, soothes and heals the breathing passages and builds up the body.

As a guarantee that the story of Father John's Medicine is absolutely true, the sum of \$25,000 will be given to any charitable institution if it can be shown otherwise—Adv.

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LOCAL CHURCH EXTENDS CALL TO PASTOR

Announcement was made today that the members and trustees of the Palgro Street Baptist church have extended a call to Rev. H. J. Lehigh of Barre, Vt., to become their pastor. A vote is expected from the pastor within a few days.

The call was entirely unsolicited on the part of Rev. Mr. Lehigh, who has been in the past seven years has been leader of the First Baptist church in Barre. Some time ago he decided to enter a large field of religious work, and announced to members of his congregation that he would soon seek a new pastorate where his pastoral endeavors might be more effective.

About three weeks ago, the pastor's name, which was on the list of candidates for new pulpits, was selected for appearance in the pulpit of the Palgro Street church in this city. He preached at both morning and evening services, and his sermons were highly pleasing to the parishioners seeking a new church leader.

Although that was the Barre pastor's first and last appearance in a Lowell pulpit, it was decided to at once extend him a formal call, and this action was taken last Sunday morning at the Palgro street church by the parishioners assembled in meeting.

Members of the church board of trustees said today that they hoped the call would be accepted. Rev. Mr. Lehigh is a man in middle life with a wife and a daughter. He has been active in the ministry for many years, and has performed the following religious work, and an extensive work in many religious fields of New York state and also in Vermont. He was born in Canada, Barre, Vt., and is now in Barre, Vt., he preached successfully in Orange, N. Y.

CHRISTMAS TREE COMMITTEE The following Christmas tree committee of the Girls' City club has been appointed to take charge of the annual exercises in connection with this feature of the club's activities: Grace O'Neil, chairman; Beatrice Heaslip, Catherine Boyle, Mary Burrows, Mary Dunlavy, Anna Robinson, Anna Conway and Bessie Chittman.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's Associate bldg., Catering the best—Lydon, Tel. 4234. Lamps—If its a lamp, we have it. Electric Shop, 62 Central street. J. A. Haycock and R. J. Lavelle, lawyers, 401 Appleton Bank bldg. F. J. Donohue, 222-224 Hildreth bldg., real estate and insurance. Telephone. Louis A. Patrick of 152 Perry street, Lowell, and Nesbit C. Bradley, 15 Elm street, Haverhill, enlisted in the navy as an apprentice seaman and yeoman, respectively at the local recruiting station today.

Charles R. Redway, formerly of Lowell, where for a number of years he was previously well known, manager of this district for the Metropolitan Life Insurance Co., was in this city today for a brief visit. Many of his former friends and business associates greeted him warmly. Mr. Redway now is district manager for the Metropolitan in a section of Connecticut that extends from New Haven to Waterbury, with headquarters in Derby.

BRITISH AMERICAN BRASS BAND The regular weekly rehearsal of the band was held Wednesday night under the direction of Richard McBride. The band committee is making great preparations for the concert and dance which is to be held on Saturday evening, Dec. 16, at Odd Fellows hall, Bridge street. The concert will commence at 7:30 o'clock after which refreshments will be served when general dancing will commence to the strains of the band and Gray's orchestra. The committee is also making great preparation for the community carol sing to be held on Christmas eve at the same hall.

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ST. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL LOWELL DISTRICT COURT

Work on New Building in Sixth Street is Progressing Rapidly

Work on the new St. Michael's school in Sixth street is progressing rapidly and it is a certainty that the building will be ready for occupancy at the beginning of the next school year, in September, 1923. The construction process began last July under the supervision of Contractor Zuel A. Hoels, and in order to complete the school at the shortest possible time, a large force of men has been steadily employed, and with the aid of artificial light, many have been working evenings until 5 o'clock. This was done for the purpose of hurrying the construction of the roof before the first big fall snows so as not to impede the work to be done in the interior, and today the men are working inside.

The building is three stories high above grade and when completed, will contain 16 class rooms. It has been located on the plan brought with a view to expansion. The style is of English Elizabethan, which has been found to be the most adaptable to an economical and dignified expression of the modern school house problem.

There will be eight class rooms on each side of the upper floor, and a large central hall, which will be reached either side of a wide corridor. At opposite ends of the corridor will be located the staircases shut off by metal and glass screens from the main portion of the building. Class rooms will be most modern in respect to equipment and the plan brought with a view to expansion. The style is of English Elizabethan, which has been found to be the most adaptable to an economical and dignified expression of the modern school house problem.

On the ground floor will be located the toilets, boiler, fan and storage rooms and a large combination hall and play room, accommodating 400 persons. Additional access to the hall is arranged from an entrance on the second floor. The building, as it stands now, is 123 feet long by 62 feet wide. The exterior materials are of New Hampshire brick and concrete and stone trimmings.

The floor and roof construction is of steel joist and reinforced concrete and all building work is of brick and terra cotta block, making the building practically a fireproof structure. The heating and ventilation system will be of the unit type, regarded as the most flexible and up-to-date system employed in school house construction, providing as it does, the possibility of operation in each room individually. The Sisters of St. Dominic of St. Michael's parish will have charge of the children in the new school.

DECEASED BELL BARBARA TOLEDO, O., Dec. 14.—(Waterbury Telegram.)—Barbara Bell, 14-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bell, of Toledo, O., has been purchased by the Toledo club of the American association.

President Broshman of the Toledo club, closed the deal with Manager Mitchell of the Braves in New York this week. The consideration in reported to have been \$7500.

TONIGHT—DANCE

With Cole's Inn Employees AT LINCOLN HALL CAMPBELL'S BANJO ORCH. Admission 50c

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BEST FLOOR IN CITY Bay State Dancing School, 265 Dutton Street Ladies 40c—Good Music—Gentlemen 50c

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ESTATE OF BRIDGET CELIA FLYNN AT NO. 31 SARATOGA ST., LOWELL, MASS., IS HEREBY PLEDGED TO THE HIGHEST BONA FIDE BIDDERS AT UNRESTRICTED PUBLIC SALE ON NEXT SATURDAY, DEC. 16, 1922, AT 3 O'CLOCK P. M.

The premises comprise a full two-story frame dwelling, containing eight rooms and bath room, pantry, hot and cold water, gas and electric lights, steam heat, etc. On the first floor are reception hall, parlor, living room, dining room, kitchen and pantry, and a bright and airy chamber and bath room on the second floor. The house is supplied with front and side entrances, a back stairs and back hallway. The cellar is high posted, is extra well lighted and has cemented bottom. The roof was renewed within two years with Neponset fireproof shingles. The lot has an attractive area of 5000 sq. ft. of land with a frontage of 50 ft. on Saratoga St. and with the building erected in the corner of the lot, gives an unusually large open area for lawn or garden, or for the erection of a garage. The location is most accessible, the premises being within 400 ft. distance of Gordon St., and within an easy walking distance of numerous industries and also within comfortable distance of the Sacred Heart church and churches of other denominations. The immediate neighborhood is comprised exclusively of private dwellings, most of which are occupied by the owners. The house is unusually attractive, is well laid out, has a plentiful supply of closet room, and is in very good repair. Terms: \$300 must be deposited with the auctioneer just as soon as the property is struck off. Other terms made known at the sale. By order of W. T. SHEPPARD and J. HENRY GILBERT, Attorneys.

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